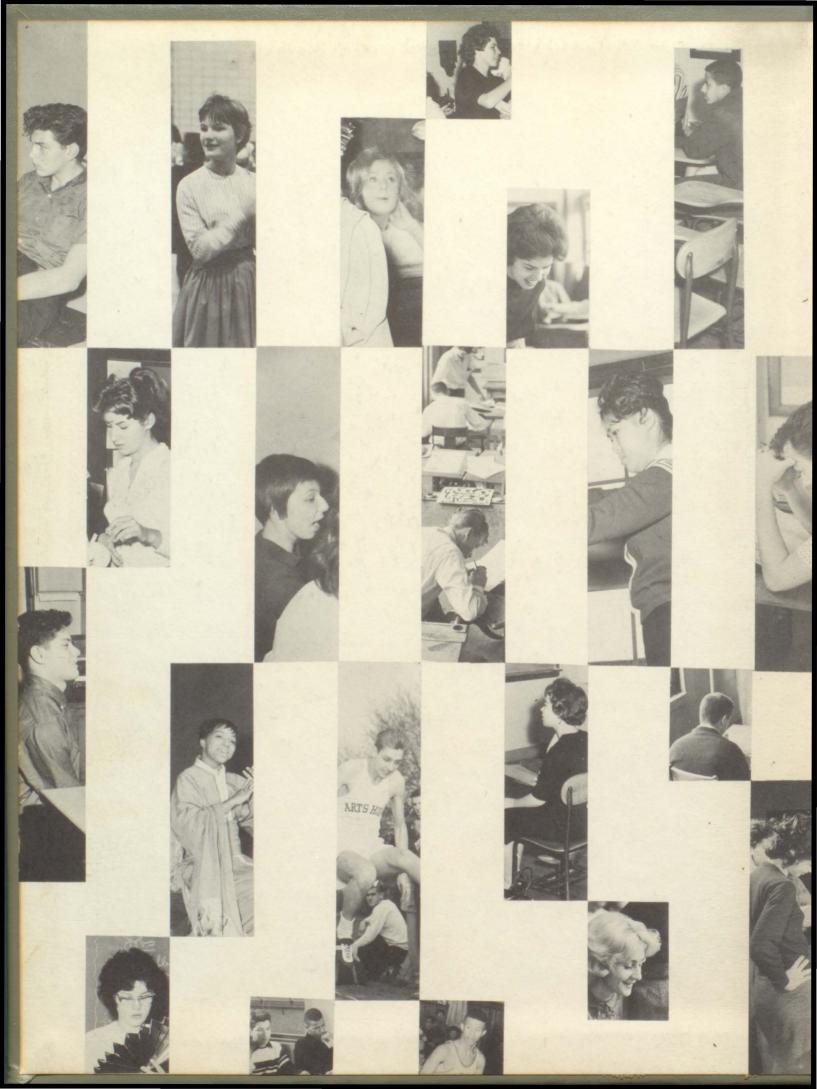
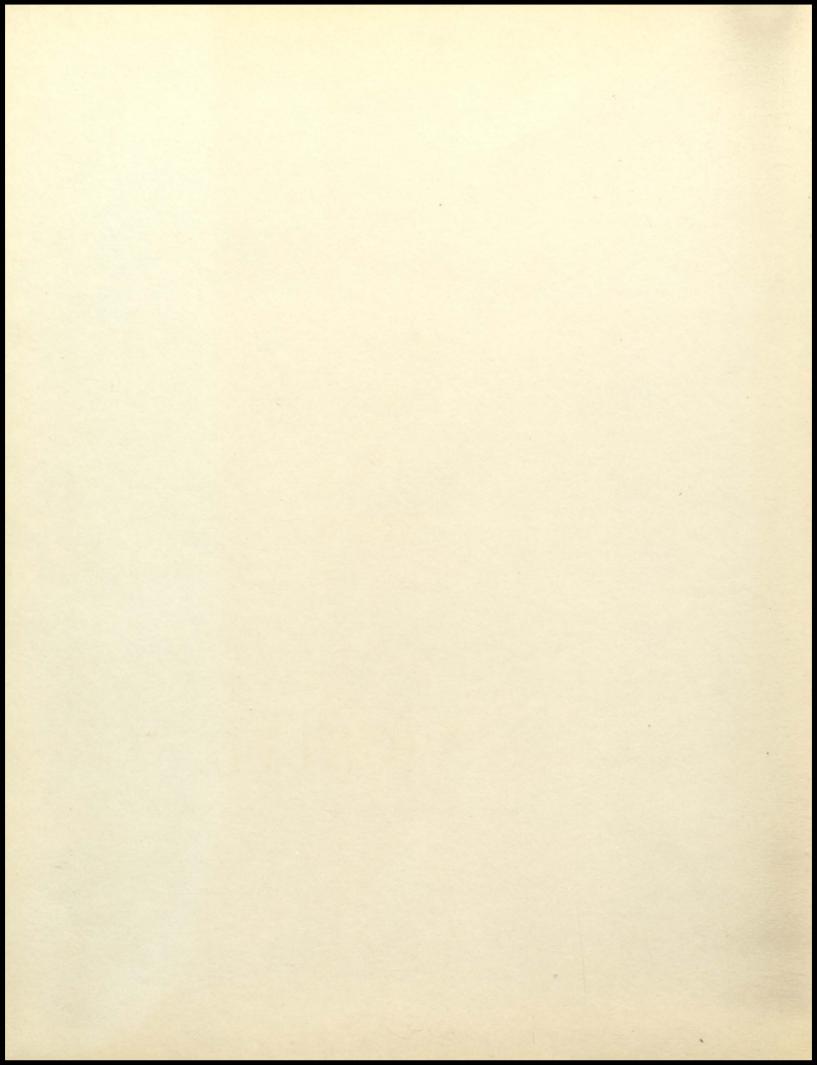
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It is not possible to express fully our feelings about Mr. Gannon who recently passed away after giving thirty-one years of his life to teaching.

He handled his classes with skill, firmness, and a touch of humor. Throughout the years Mr. Gannon taught us the values of being punctual and considerate of others.

Our Mr. Gannon created nothing but respect and love. When we needed help, he gave it freely and warmly; when we needed prodding he gave it firmly but gently. Mr. Gannon was more than a teacher to us, he was a wonderful friend.

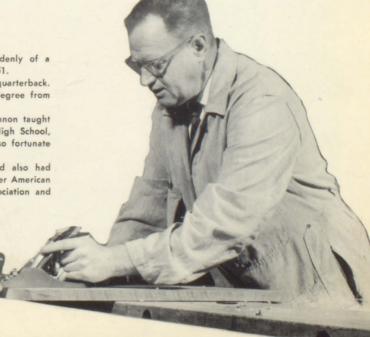
#### THOMAS D. GANNON, B.A., M.A. Industrial Art

Thomas Dean Gannon of 160 Mountainview Avenue, Nutley, died suddenly of a heart attack on February 6, 1961, in Clara Maass Memorial Hospital. He was 51.

He was graduated from Central High School, where he was a varsity quarterback. He received his bachelor's degree from Rutgers University and his master's degree from Seton Hall University. He was a Navy veteran of World War II.

Before coming to Arts High School as an industrial arts teacher, Mr. Gannon taught at State Street School, Eighteenth Avenue School, McKinley School, Central High School, and McKinley Junior High School. One can understand why we at Arts feel so fortunate to have had his sagacious instructions.

During his teaching curriculum, he was an assistant football coach and also had officiated at high school games throughout the state and for games of the former American Football League. He was a member of the New Jersey Football Officials Association and of the Newark Teachers Union.

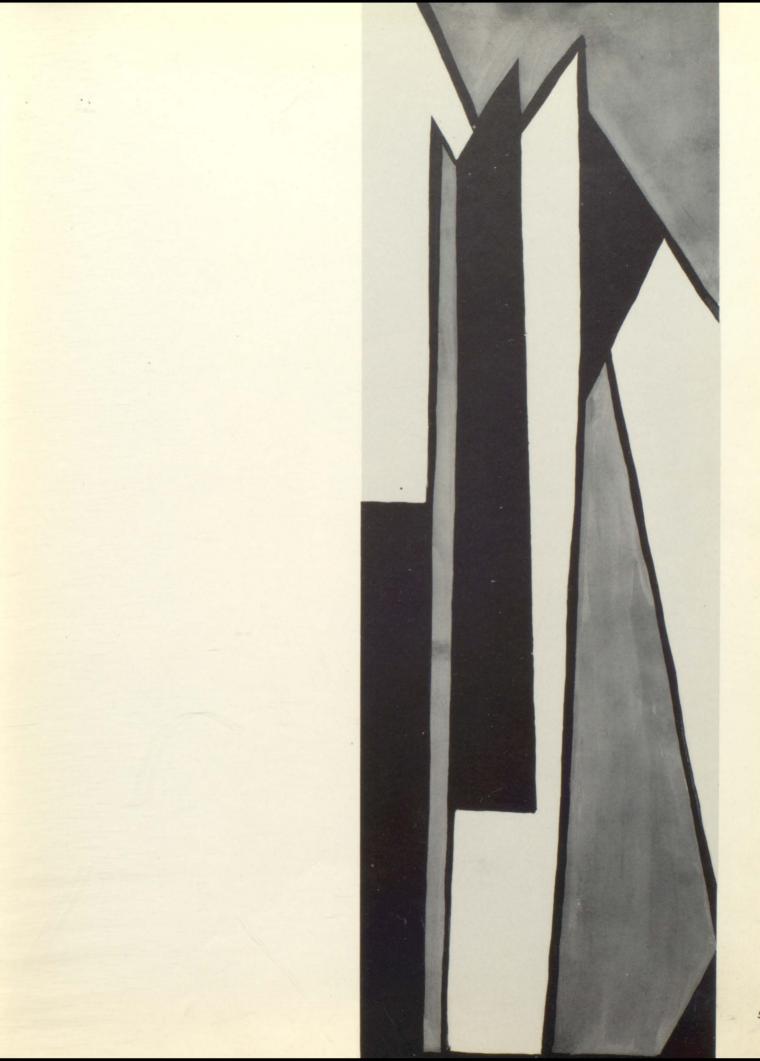


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Authority in their hands becomes not a power but a guiding force; a noble function.





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DR. FREDERICK C. SEAMSTER B.A., M.A., Ph.D.

#### Principal

By sheer force of character and complete interest in and command of the school, Dr. Seamster lends to Arts High an air of seriousness, warmth, and harmony. His quiet concern with every Arts High student has always made us feel free to present our problems and little puzzlements to him so that we might have the benefit of his counsel and judgment. Always under the influence of his fatherly eye we, the students, are eager to better ourselves and our school. As a sincere and devoted administrator and headmaster, Dr. Seamster is admired by all who know him.

MRS. BEATRICE GELLER B.A., M.A.

Vice-Principal

Throughout our years at Arts, Mrs. Geller has always advised us wisely and has performed her duties with thoroughness and sincerity. Her wholehearted interest in the students is evident by her concern for and participation in all phases of school life. Her graciousness extends itself to every student who needs assistance or guidance. Through constant and sincere efforts, Mrs. Geller has gained the respect and admiration of both teachers and pupils and will surely continue to do so in the years ahead.





Our office staff members, Mrs. Shirley Zones and Miss Joyce Melillo, perform their duties very effectively and efficiently.



A teacher affects eternity; he can never tell where his influence stops.

-Henry B. Adams



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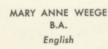


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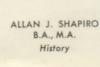




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### MADAME BUTTERFLY





With mixed emotions, Butterfly (Elaine Sepe) and her maid, Suzuki (Allie Jefferson) join in this familiar "Flower Duet."

"Un Bel Di" is sung by Butterfly (Josephine Graziano) as she imagines Pinkerton's return.



In probably the most beautiful of all "entrances" in the grand opera, Butterfly (Josephine Graziano) appears with her friends for her wedding to Lieutenant Pinkerton (Kenneth Lancin).

It is Sharpless (Paul Horniacek), the American Council, who must tell Butterfly (Carolyn Slade) that Pinkerton will never return to her.





Butterfly (Josephine Graziano), with her friends, prepares for her marriage to Lt. Pinkerton.



Following the wedding ceremony, Butterfly (Elaine Sepe) and Pinkerton (Kenneth Lancin) join in the magnificent duet closing Act 1.



Stephen Burrows as Goro, the "marriage broker."



The Duet Scene from Act I.

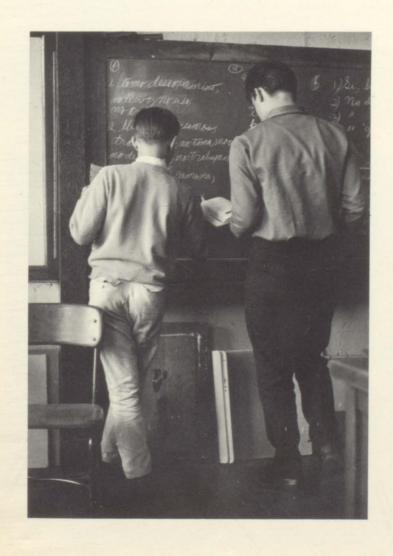


The hills ahead look hard, and steep and high, And often we behold them with a sigh;

But as we near them level grows the road, We find on every slope, with every load,

The climb is not so steep, the top so far,
The hills ahead look larger than they are.

by Doug Malloch



ERCLASSMEN



MISS JOAN NOVAK-HOMEROOM 306

FIRST ROW, left to right: Juanita Coleman, Elaine Carpousis, Lorraine O'Brien, Vivian King, Lynn Policastro, Allida Adams, Camille Mazzocchi, Eileen Van Duyne. SECOND ROW: Miss Novak, Harry How-

ard, John Walters, James Joudrey, James Soden, Queintard De Geneste, Robert Fuller, Albert Bush, William Krauit. THIRD ROW: Louis Ogonowski, Steve Giliba, Glenn McClain, Mary Ann Maltese, Mary Ann Rafanello, Donna Revello, Marvin Harris, Stanley Andruchowitz, Richard Kelley.

### **FRESHMEN**



MR. ALLAN SHAPIRO-HOMEROOM 318

FIRST ROW, left to right: Elizabeth Cleveland, Lesley Fried, Patricia Ailes, Dorothy Von Ende, Margaret Quigley, Connie Carnevale,

Ruby Hutson, Nancy Karsmarski, Carol Heyman. SECOND ROW: Mr. Shapiro, Charles Johnson, Joseph Orsini, John McSweeney, Rocco Sica, Matthew Swajkowski, Anthony Giacalone, Andrew Dutko, William Griffin, Raymond Ward, Steven Keyhayes.



MR. JOSEPH REUTER-HOMEROOM 213

FIRST ROW, left to right: Linda Pochmara, Jolyn Tartaglia, Mary Ulinski, Maria Vargas, Bertha Paden, Dolores Gough, Carolyn Carter, Carmela Cino, Janice Hall. SECOND ROW: Anthony Pugliese, Phyliss

De Groot, Annette Kujat, Tamy Smith, John Insabella, Louis Scavone, Michael Rudis, Kenneth Brown, James Metrocavage, Veronica Wynn, Loukia Moustakas, George Faragi. THIRD ROW: Mary Ann Sentiwany, Cora Bigelow, Bertha Paden, Faye Kennedy, Rochelle Barletta, Frances Giannone, Frances Macomber, Odaisa Peixoto, James Hinton.

### **FRESHMEN**





MRS. LORNA FURST-HOMEROOM 218

FIRST ROW, left to right: Ethel Douglass, Jean Fioritti, Mary Ann Owens, Jeanette Van der Gyze, Francine Thornton, Barbara Bennett, Constance Brown, Christine Smishkewych, Anela Szkwarko. SECOND ROW: Morris Wyatt, Susan Trgala, Patricia Minni, Jacqueline Price, Mary Litchfield, Rosemary Cerqueira, Marin La Rocca, Kathleen Higgins, Mrs. Furst. THIRD ROW: George Smishkewych, Herbert Mc-Neil, David Hudson, Edward Kennedy, Charles Gudaitis, John Nalemicki, Vincent Peluso, Richard D'Amato, Curtis Watkins. FOURTH ROW: Marguerite Pisciotta, Barbara Melino, James Kolensky, Alexander Schwec, Rojean Carroll, Fred Fernicola, Charles Ercolano, Donna Gough.

### **FRESHMEN**







MR. LOUIS SPINDLER-HOMEROOM 309

FIRST ROW, left to right: Nadine Knight, Vernall Bates, Joan Lear, Ernestine Triplett, Barbara Terrey, Jeanne Cambouris, Barbara Malarek, Shelia Carter, Penny Powe. SECOND ROW: Cheryl Spellman, Karen Costa, Elaine White, Irene Ziemlinski, Pam McGrath, Marie

Grasso, Jo-Ann Fay, Sheryl Miller, Mr. Spindler. THIRD ROW: Antony Ribeiro, Valery Kyrejko, Martin Galanty, Paul Voltz, Joe Biondo, Norman Jackson, Frank Pallitto, Annunziato Amoresano, Henry Gibki. FOURTH ROW: Pat Phalen, Stanley Lynick, Furio Dinardo, Robert Dral, Richard Ferrara, Donald Schesny, Paul Holick, Alberta Ulmer.

### SOPHOMORES

#### MISS RUTH MEYERSON-HOMEROOM 315

FIRST ROW, left to right: Curtis Holowchak, Jeannette Fenney, Margo Lancin, Anna Dziuban, Carolee Koenig, Kathleen Barcliff, Elaine Ulozas, Gwendolyn Beal, Judith Pavolick, Lois Piccirillo. SEC-OND ROW: Miss Meyerson, Henry Schroeck, James Caputo, Zenon Mediuch, Dennis Giron, Delores Oliver, Gail Briere, Elaina Loritts, Kenneth Garey, Joseph Grokowski, Spencer Robinson, Joseph Singleton. THIRD ROW: Michael Schilare, John Milton, John Dokus, Angelo Leva, Arkady Filuk, Theodore Morrison, William Hayman, Tyrone Howell, George Woshakiwsky. FOURTH ROW: Michael Stepanski, John D'Almeida, John McCully, Ralph Porzilli, Leonard Troiano, Lawrence Thiry, Alan Balabanow, James Wallace.





#### MRS. GERTRUDE SHAPIRO-HOMEROOM 310

FIRST ROW, left to right: Vera Fields, Mary Lou Simons, Elaine Policastro, Elizabeth Isham, Maxine Alston, Maurine Johnson, Geraldine Cohens, Margaret Hunter, Michele Maziukiewicz. SECOND ROW: Mrs. Shapiro, Oliver Newsome, Robert Rothenberg, John Cantillo, Aaron Moore, Fred Neuhaus, David Shanks, Harold Polk. THIRD ROW: Henry Antonelli, William Russo, Robert Votto, Alan Pohlman, Richard Minetti, Joseph Ombalsky, Thomas Caloia.

### SOPHOMORES



#### MRS. ELIZABETH STILLER-HOMEROOM B8

FIRST ROW, left to right: Janice Howard, Beverly Johnson, Cathleen McCoy, Vernetta Smith, Beatrice Guidera, Minnie Kreps, Maxine Lipson, Lavonne Sifford. SECOND ROW: Tommie Washington, Joseph Towe, Kenneth Thomas, Nicholas Piscatelli, Julius Taylor, William Leighton, Benjamin Johnson, John Russomanno. THIRD ROW: Cathy Quilbin, Sarah Shafer, Margaret Manco, Larry Heller, Leroy Hutson, Janet Hill, Phyllis Fudge, Mary Anne Rogers.



### SOPHOMORES



#### MR. MILTON KNOBLER—HOMEROOM 208

FIRST ROW, left to right: Carolyn Allen, Carol Ann Kretschmar, Judith Bowers, Linda Zampino, Hazel Nixon, Ethel Duhart, Elizabeth Charaminska, Sidney Berzon, Irene Hams. SECOND ROW: Mr. Knobler, Leroy Nash, William Bernstein, Daniel Loehrs, Arthur Clark, Richard Kara, Robert Falstrom, David Soden, James Robertello, James Meggison, Raymond Bristol. THIRD ROW: Helen Costello, Julius Benevento, Ronald Garon, Michael Kashiuski, Sebastian Siino, William Eisenman, Dennis O'Brien, Mary Davis, Betty Lou Sweeney.



#### MR. VICTOR THOMAS-HOMEROOM 220

FIRST ROW, left to right: William Blanda, Barbara Triano, Barbara Tekula, Charleen Green, Carol Jenkins, Cheryl Stewart, Diane Balewicz, Carol Ellison, Lisetta Pantano, Muriel Brown. SECOND ROW: Robert Sierminski, Paul De Martino, John Sepe, Arthur Coles, Joseph Cioffi, Ralph Hoffman, Stephen Field, Charles McMahon, Michel Galdi, Stephen Rich, Mr. Thomas. THIRD ROW: Arthur Covington, Douglas Anderson, Lucille Daniele, Gloria Villares, Sandra Cohen, Barbara Salzano, Fay Drayton, Robert Bella, James Racioppi, Edward Eckert.

#### SOPHOMORES

MRS. BETTE LAZAR-HOMEROOM 313

FIRST ROW, left to right: Patricia Gaffga, Barbara Bednar, Joyce Bryant, Anne Kreybig, Phyllis White, Barbara Ulrich, Anilda Aviles, Doreen Nonnemacher, Paulette Casalese. SECOND ROW: Thomas Di Bella, Gary Zenga, Theodore Gibki, Winn Salkins, Gary Ryno, David Baranowitz, Michael Priolo, Joseph Hosker, Joseph Gray, Mario Rebello. THIRD ROW: Daisy Rodriquez, John Bortnyk, Robert Slonin, Paul Drobenick, Norman Hartsfield, John Chadwich, Fred Foti, Vincent Ceglia, John Coleman.





#### MRS. LUCILLE HILLER-HOMEROOM 320

FIRST ROW, left to right: Richard Hartnett, Karen Cicerale, Maureen Sweeney, Christine Cummings, Joanne Minutoli, Donna Thomas, Laraine Parmes, Carlene Warren, Diane Chinni, Lorraine Sinkez. SECOND ROW: Diane Cuidera, Charlotte Patterson, Carolyn Corag-

gio, Elsie Rinaldi, Joanne DiGiuseppe, Christine Coraggio, Phyllis Cioffi, Etta Hermelin, Mrs. Hiller. THIRD ROW: Ben D'Alessio, Joseph Borg, Anthony Splendora, Arlindo De Oliveira, Roy Byrd, Robert Rosselot, Thomas Lambright, Patrick Klotz, Thomas Rizzo. FOURTH ROW: Grace Pinho, Ronnie Reddick, Salvatore Ditta, Harvey Knox, William James, Eugene Gibba, Jeanne Orefice.

### SOPHOMORES





#### MISS THERESA DAVID-HOMEROOM 204

FIRST ROW, left to right: Lizzie Barnes, Patricia Timpanaro, Odell Simpson, Marilyn Manderville, Juanita Anderson, Marianne Parliman, Pamela Scaia, Carolyn Holmes, Beatriz Bote'. SECOND ROW: Walter Rice, Albert Correale, Steven Bowers, Robert Greco, Bryant Bergeron, Jake Fenny, Gray Philhower, Miss David. THIRD ROW: Mario Vitaliano, Peter Kuhn, Reginald Williams, Robert Tarr, Helen Kokinda, Michele Di Costanzi.

### JUNIORS



#### MISS RUTH ABOS-HOMEROOM 219

FIRST ROW, left to right: Anne Grosschmidt, Marie Mazzocchi, Marilyn Sanchez, Carolyn Dopf, Mary Torregrosso, Caroline Thomas, Patricia Gray, Linda Crawley, Pamela Ireland. SECOND ROW: Miss

Abos, Michael Pagliaro, John Trufelos, Raymond Balvage, Emmet Jones, William James, Richard Taylor, Sigmund Dickowski, Richard Schneider. THIRD ROW: Martin Barna, George Thomas, Ronald Merk, Frank Pascale, Andrew Fresco, Sanford Horwitz, Woodrow Cooper.



MRS. DOROTHY NEUSS-HOMEROOM 207

FIRST ROW, left to right: Beverly Jackson, Joyce Brown, Jessie Berry, Joann Knakiewicz, Lucille Joudrey, Cynthia Graham, Loretta Perla, Frances Vitucci. SECOND ROW: Anthony Vassallo, John Monstroski, Leslie Butler, Stanley Pluciennik, Ralph Remondelli, Michael Hatoff, George Brownlee. THIRD ROW: Ronald Williams, Richard Sheard, Ralph Catanio, Anthony Marano.

### **JUNIORS**



MR. FREDERICK MacFADYEN-HOMEROOM 209

FIRST ROW, left to right: Elizabeth Yancy, Rona Greenfield, Vivian Sanchez, Donna Milito, Roslyn Haspiel, Patricia Smith, Katie Wynn, Margarette Harrison, Marie Harding. SECOND ROW: Andrew Fri-

andafilou, Arthur Coles, Erie Stokes, Richard Nebiolo, Walter Ray, Nickolas Lombardi, La Mont Bristol, Charles Gaines. THIRD ROW: Sonya Cohen, Alyce Foffey, Joyce Yablonicky, Ursula Garcia, Karen Berfet, Judith Mingucce, Ruthie Mae Burr.



MRS. RUTH ASSARSSON-HOMEROOM 210

FIRST ROW, left to right: Sheila Riley, Barbara Farrar, Mildred Vega, Christine Russomanno, Wanda Lorenc, Grace Ann Dunphy, Marilyn Martin, Irene Gancarz, Wilma Jackson. SECOND ROW: Robert Pasquali, Lynn Russ, Albert Birch, Robert Knight, Walter Schweikardt, Ronald Danny, John Stefan, Eugene Sweeney, Dennis De Palma, Robert Catanio. THIRD ROW: Betty Kearney, Mary Ellen Terrezzo, Jo Ann Velella, Takako Inoue, Kathryn Krakowiak, Ruth Corbett, Margaret Giordano.

### **JUNIORS**



#### MR. LEONARD YABLICK-HOMEROOM 215

FIRST ROW, left to right: Harriet Jacobson, Gayle Patterson, Janice Stewart, Gwendolyn Gibbons, Mary Jean Kearney, Doris Holloway, Victoria Grohowski, Judy Kuemmerle. SECOND ROW: Michael McDaniel, Robert Margulski, Louis Lydiard, Joseph Mauro, John Wilson, Richard De Roxtra, Joseph Valenza, Donald Fiorito, Lee Kozas, Mr. Yablick. THIRD ROW: Frank Giasullo, Baldesario Abruzzo, Deanna Corsi, Carolyn Epperson, Brenda Dawson, Michael Luizza, William Radice.

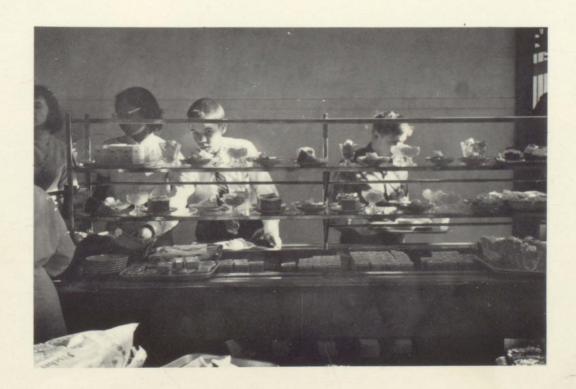


MR. PHILIP CLAMURRO-HOMEROOM 314

FIRST ROW, left to right: Harriet Delk, Allie Jefferson, Eleta Caldwell, Lydia Ostrowka, Renee Hitschmann, Gail Fontaine, Marilyn Warner, Jeanette Hill, Betty Evans. SECOND ROW: Donald Ferguson,

Joseph Malinowski, John Kemper, John Gower, Robert Fisher, Carl Baccaro, Nick Sciarrillo, Amelio Catalano, Ronald Brice, Mr. Clamurro. THIRD ROW: Luke Picone, Ann Hilser, Pearl Werfel, Violette Moscone, Tamara Gol, Angela Albano, Wendy Bucharest, Joseph Golmanavich.

### **JUNIORS**



#### FACULTY = VARSITY BASKETBALL GAME



The crowd that roared!





"Get your hands off the ball, Vlad.
I got it first."

"We're from Arts High and we don't come any prouder. If you can't hear us, we'll yell a little louder!"

"Come on, boys! We can't let these teachers beat us."





#### THE FACULTY-VARSITY GAME

The Faculty-Varsity Game is an event looked forward to by everyone at Arts. It provides laughter and entertainment for both the students and teachers and promotes good student-teacher relationship. Both teams are given a chance to show off their athletic powers but the teachers always manage to beat or tie the Varsity Team.

"Ha ha! Hee hee! Ho ho!"



"Ugh! This ball gets heavier every year."



"Would a magnet help?"

"Hey, the ball is getting away!"



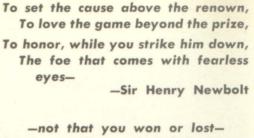
"Try to put the ball in THAT BASKET, Mr. Morris."











but how well you played the game.

-Grantland Rice





BASEBALL BASEBALL BASEBALL BASEBALL BASEBALL BASEBALL BASEBALL BASEBALL

And the fans went wild!

## JUNIOR VARSITY AND VARSITY BASEBALL 1960

For the Junior Varsity, this year proved to be its most successful with eight wins including victories over Essex Catholic, South Side and Central High Schools. Mr. Voller was especially pleased by the performances of Dave Baranowitz, William Russo, Al Catalano and Bob Catanio.

The Varsity team had a successful season with nine wins, eight losses and one tie. This success was attributed to the fine field players, to Mr. Lang's

excellent coaching, and to the professional pitching by Pat Piegari.

Some of the highlights of the games were the no-hitter going for Piegari until the eighth inning in the game against Pingry which we won 2-1; and Arts' smashing victory over Irvington Tech 7-1 with the help of Arnie Nash, Ben Abruzzo, Ben Grier and Lou Venturi in the fourth inning. Incidentally, Lou Venturi, Pat Piegari, Gene Gildziler and Arnie Nash were the teams most valuable players. Arnie Nash was nominated for the All-City Baseball Team.

Over all, our Junior Varsity and Varsity Baseball teams have proven their ability to play. Whether they won or lost, they always showed good sports-

manship.





Benny has come home to us once again.

BASEBALL

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STANDING: Mr. Lang, Andrew Zawacki, Sheldon Sauders, Patsy Piegari, Cyril Good, Richard Nebiolo, Benjamin Grier, Lesander Soto, Louis Venturi, Ralph Remondelli, Mr. Steisel. FRONT ROW: Louis San Giovanni, Vincent Di Gerlando, Baldesario Abruzzo, Arnold Nash, Andrew Del Preore, Gene Geldziler, John Utley, Bobby Slomin.





Oh! Foul ball!



You're not in, you're out!



Why doesn't it curve?



Final Record: Won—9 Lost—8 Tie—1

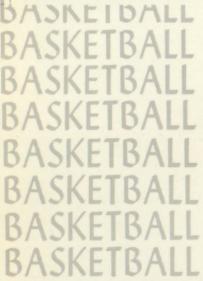


Pat, the ump's mine.

"If I've told you once, I've told you a thousand times."

"Up in the air, over the rim, come on Eddie, get it in!"





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Arts	BASKETBALL SCORES	Onn
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33	Saint Patrick's	45
46	Harrison	54
47	Saint Mary's (Pat.)	42
47	Sacred Heart	48
57	Glen Ridge	52
40	Edison Tech	50
57	Glen Ridge	. 52
43	Bloomfield Tech	. 26
45	Pingry (Hillside)	51
51	Harrison	68
47	Irvington Tech	46
49	Edison Tech	72
30	Newark Tech	57
36	Irvington Tech	48
57	Bloomfield Tech	46
40	Newark Tech	45
38	Saint Mary's	60
34	Pingry (Hillside)	49







"Oh where, oh where has our basketball gone?"

"Three steps to danger!"

## VARSITY BASKETBALL

The 1960-61 basketball season proved to be a difficult one for Coach Voller because of the loss of many key players. However, the team had a great deal of height which helped in winning many games.

Although the team had dropped below a .500 record, morale was high.

Coach Voller calls his boys "faithful, conscientious, and hard playing."

Junior Varsity Basketball Coach Lang was particularly pleased with the hard playing of his team during the season. Outstanding Junior Varsity players were Aurelio Catalano, Bob Catanio, Lee Kozas, Larry Caulton, Robert Fisher and Joe Towe. Other players were Ray Bristol, Ken Brown, Arthur Coles, Rich D'Amato, Sam Hardy, Will Haymon, Willie James, Ted Morrison, Mario Rebello, Joe Biondo, and Norman Jackson.



Ballerina dance, dance, dance . . .



"John, two hands are better than one!"



STANDING, left to right: Pat Piegari, Cyril Good, Richie Nebiolo, Dennis Wolloch, Vlad Palowski, Joe Nemeckay. FIRST ROW: John Utley, Roy Street, Ed Miller, Tyrone Washington, Willie Stewart.

SWIMMING SWIMMING



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Mr. Knobler gives some helpful hints to the swimmers.

## SCOREBOARD

33         EAST SIDE         38           33         WEST SIDE         44           39         CENTRAL         37           42         SOUTH SIDE         33           14         WEEQUAHIC         70           34         EAST SIDE         39           36         CENTRAL         36           15         WEST SIDE         62           38         SOUTH SIDE         30           9         WEEQUAHIC         68	Art	S	Opp.
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Arts High placed fifth in the city meet.

The boys are apprehensive about the outcome of the meet.



Don't doggy-paddle! Faster! Faster!



Robert Tarr begins the 160 yard free-style relay.

The Swimming Team is composed primarily of freshmen and sophomores and will not reach its full potential for a year or so. This year, because there has been no one to fill the gaps left by recent graduates, the team has scored only 3 wins, with 6 losses and 1 tie.

The veterans are Pat Klotz, John Monstroski, Paul Di Martino, Leslie Wintsch, and co-captains Andy Dutkewych and Arlindo De Oliviera. Other valuable team members have been

Al Birch and Robert Tarr.



We'll make a swimmer out of you, yet!



FIRST ROW, left to right: Alan Balabanow, Lance Casper, Rojean Corroll, Robert Tarr, James Kolensky, Pat Klotz, John Trufelos. SECOND ROW: Richard Goldberg, Albert Birch, Arlindo De Oliviera, John Monstroski, Leslie Wintsch, Anthony Spendora, Alex Smishkewych, Sal Ditta, Paul Di Martino, Andrew Dutkewych, Mr. Knobler (coach).

TRACK





Dennis Woloch hands the baton off to William Thomas as they win this relay-race easily.

Assuming that he meets the scholastic requirements, any boy who is physically fit, mentally alert, and unafraid of hard work may become a candidate for track team membership. Throughout the season each boy is given an opportunity to compete in a number of events.

"Ah-choo!"

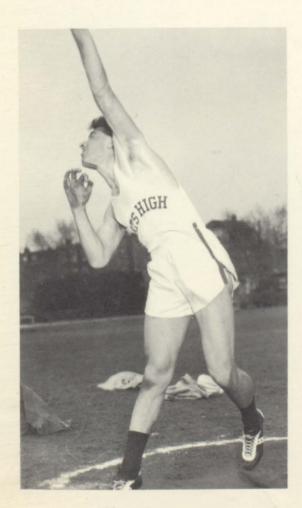


Eugene Sweeney and Lemar Whigam show great determination as they start the 100-yard dash as team-mates look on.



FIRST ROW, left to right: Dennis Woloch, Charles Pittman, Edgar Barcliff, William Stewart, William James, William Warren, Emmett Jones, Lester Wilson, Harry Hines. SECOND ROW: Coach Victor Thomas, Larry Caulton, Ralph Hoffman, Bob Brennan, Vlad Pawlow-

ski, William Thomas, Charles Dawson, Lemar Whigham, Albert Buch. THIRD ROW: John Monstroski, Leslie Wintsch, Mike Pagliaro, Lenny Ludovico, Tony Zaleski, Paul DeMartino, Walter Rice, Joe Golmanovich.



Leonard Ludovico gives the O.K. sign as he goes through a practice heave of the shot-put.



"Hey, Coach, what do I do now?"



Mr. Lang (Varsity baseball and J.V. basketball coach), Mr. Thomas (track coach), Mr. Knobler (swimming coach), Mr. Voller (Varsity basketball and J.V. baseball coach), Mr. Steisel (faculty manager).

The Varsity Club is comprised of all students who have earned a letter for participation in one of Arts High's athletic activities. The club stresses social and athletic events during the school year. Under the supervision of Mr. Steisel, the club sponsors an annual dinner and the Faculty-Varsity Game and Dance.



SEATED, left to right: Mr. Thomas, Mr. Voller, Mr. Steisel, Mr. Knobler, Mr. Lang. FIRST ROW: Lance Casper, John Trufelos, Roy Street, Pat Klotz, Arlindo DeOliviera, Ralph Remondelli, Andy Dutkewych, Ben Abruzzo. SECOND ROW: John Utley, Harry Hines, Tyrone Washington, Ed Miller, Joe Nemeckay, Larry Caulton, Albert Birch, Willie Stewart. THIRD ROW: Charles Pittman, Cyril Good, Vladimir Pawlowski, Dennis Woloch, Roy Byrd, Walter Ray, Pasquale Piegari, President.



"Come on Arts High get that ball and get it in," get hep, we're in step!

The Varsity Cheering Squad, under the capable leadership of their captain, Marion Herckner, has kept up the morale of the entire team and the coaches by their loyalty, their faithfulness, and their bubbling enthusiasm even when the team was not victorious. Their friendly behavior, their neat appearance, and their fine sportsmanship has made everyone at Arts proud of them. These girls have truly represented the school in the best way possible.

FRONT ROW: Linda Suarez, Captain Marion Herckner, and Jo Ann Carluccio. BACK ROW: Gwen Wilson, Christine Cummings, Matilda Oppido, Pat Jagentowicz and Betty Evans.



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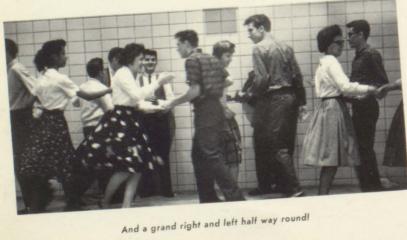
# BARN DANCE



She was here a minute ago!



What we need is a conversation mixer or an ice breaker.





Shoo fly, don't bother me 'cause I belong to somebody I do, I do, I do.



"HEEL and TOE, HEEL and TOE. Slide, slide, slide, slide."



"Promenade home."

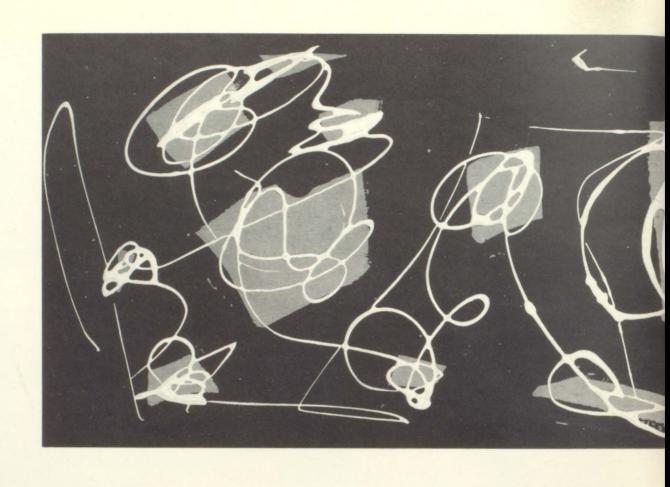




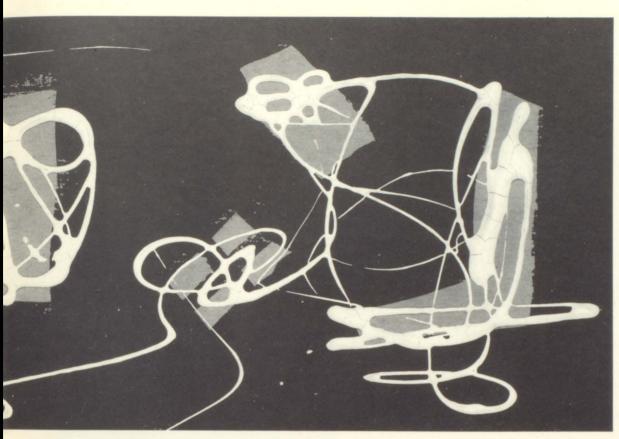
"Oh, you swing her, you swing her, swing her round and round."



"And then I said . . ."







We worked, we played, we sang.

We set our talents and interests in the pursuit of pleasure and fulfillment; we gave of ourselves and profited.

# 'A" PIN GROUP

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The A-Pin, a highly coveted award, is presented to those juniors and seniors who have given outstanding service to the school through participation in many extra-curricular activities. They are rated by their teachers according to the amount of service they have rendered. All A-Pin holders are on a committee to compile records of the accomplishments of all students, to evaluate each record, and to announce the new holders.

SEATED: Pat Piegari, Patricia Corbley, Mary Ann Priolo, Mr. Morris. STANDING: Barbara Stawicki, Viola-dey Ilaria, Mildred Whitaker, Patricia Hicks, Maxine Galanty, Linda Punchatz, Sophie Waclawsky.

## ART SERVICE CLUB

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The purpose of the Art Service Club is to provide service through art to the school and to the community. Under the supervision of Mr. Gommoll, the club offers opportunities for artistic development and advancement to those students who are interested. Several times during the school year, the club members plan excursions and field trips to places of art interest. Their contributions to the school are of major importance.

SEATED: Arlene Cardinale, Matilda Oppido, Paul De Martino, Pat Jagentowicz. STANDING: Barbara Ulrich, Phyllis Cioffi, Carol Roellke, Christine Cummings, James Racioppi, Maureen Sweeney, Kathleen Hochart, JoAnn Minutoli, Donna Thomas. SEATED, REAR: Tom O'Connell, John Monstroski, Leslie Wintsch, Anthony Zaleski.

The Arts High School Band, one of the oldest clubs in the school, participates in assembly programs, concerts, parades, and civic functions. Its programs have varied from classical music to Broadway overtures. Mr. Tobia, the leader, has encouraged talented musicians by giving them opportunities for solo performances. The Band has provided much entertainment and enjoyment for the students at Arts.



FIRST ROW, left to right: Mr. Tobia, Muriel Brown, Wilma Jackson, Lesley Freid, Linda Crawley, Frances Vitucci, Lavonia Lorritts, Ann Hilser, Etta Hermelin, Karen Costa, Sidney Berzon, Betty Sweeney, Kathleen Higgins. SECOND ROW: Erminio Romano, Ronnie Reddick, Joshua Dancy, Maxine Lipson, Veronica Winn, Nancy Jackson, Patricia Corbley, Robert Dral, Steven Gibba, Henry Antonelli. THIRD ROW: Richard Schneider, Robert Votto, Robert Slonin, Rojean Carroll, Anthony Zaleski, Benjamin Johnson, Raymond Bristol, Roy Street, Leroy Hudson, Eugene Gibba, Ronald Garon. FOURTH ROW: Vladimir Pawlowski, Robert Rothenberg, Donald Fiorito, Andrew Triandofilo, Richard Minetti, Michael Kashinski, Curtis Watkins, William Radice, Frank Pascal, Joseph Golmanavich, Thomas Caloia. FIFTH ROW: Oliver Newsome, Harry Hines, Siamund Dickowski, Kenneth Thomas, Gary Zenga, Frank Giasullo, Joseph Borg, James Robertello, John Sepe, Vincent Peluso. SIXTH ROW: Gary Rynar, Walter Schweikardt, Carl Baccaro, Richard Meyer, Tyrone Howell, Thomas Washington, John Walters, Fred Neuhaus, Joseph Valenza, Benjamin D'Alessio, Nickolas Sciarrillo.



LEFT TO RIGHT: Mr. Kappstatter, JoAnne Minutoli, Mary Ann Priolo.

At Arts, the students are given the opportunity to continue adding to their school savings account. The banking staff is composed of representatives from every homeroom. Each week the staff and Mr. Kappstatter collect the deposits and prepare them for the Howard Savings Institution.

# DRAMATIC WORKSHOP

For the first time in many years, the Senior Class presented a play, "The Late Christopher Bean." Under Mr. Janowitz's supervision, the members of the cast worked arduously to perfect their roles. Students auditioned for the parts. It is hoped that other dramatic events of this type will be presented in the future.



James Racioppi, Joan Schilare, Michael Galdi, Ralph Porzilli, Mr. David Janowitz, Benyonne Lee, Joe Neigel, Mara Plekss, Delores Tisdell.

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The Girls' Glee Club is comprised of girls who have an ardent interest in choral work. Its members perform for concerts, assembly programs, and civic functions, uplifting the audience with their lovely voices. Under the direction of Mrs. Shapiro, the girls rehearse on Tuesday and Friday afternoons.

SEATED, left to right: Thomasina Skipper, Cathy McCoy, Shirley Ramey, Essie Grant, Nancy Jackson, Janice Howard, Angela Migliorini, Barbara Appling, Ernestine Tripplett, Margaret Giordano, Kathleen Higgins. STANDING: La Vonne Lorritts, Delores Oliver, Poledi George, Hazel Nixon, Anna Dzuiban, Christine Smishkewych, Brenda Robinson, Adrienne Allen, Beverly Jackson, Elaine Sepe, Victoria Grohowski, Ruthie Mae Burr, Cora Bigelow, Dorothy Hamilton, Sophie Waclawsky, Barbara Bennett. BACK ROW: Ruby Hutson, Lucille Joudrey, Vernelle Batts, Nadine Knight, Muriel Brown, Irene Ziemlinski.

## JUNIOR RED CROSS

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The Junior Red Cross Council is an essential part of the school and the community. Christmas favors, Easter baskets, and various drives are only a small part of the council's work. Membership consists of two representatives from each homeroom. Each summer, delegates are chosen to represent the Newark Chapter of the Red Cross at the leadership training school, Peddie, in Heightstown, New Jersey. The council meets with Mrs. Hiller every Monday afternoon.



SEATED, left to right: Jacqueline Price, Mildred Vega, Robert Margulski, Anne Kreybig, Roslyn Haspiel. STANDING: Barbara Melino, Edward Eckert, Mrs. Hiller, Marie Galasso, Ethel Duhart, Lucille Joudrey, Carolyn Dopf, Marion Herckner, Tammy Gol, Beverly Jackson.



Under the guidance of Miss Yuker, the members of the Library Guild work to make the library a place to enjoy. They shelve, check, and care for the books; also, they assist students in locating material. Each term the Library Guild takes field trips to Broadway shows, and library conventions. Meetings are held every Thursday morning in the library.

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FIRST ROW, left to right: Penelope Powe, Adrianne Allen, Jo Ann Fay, Constance Brown, Sophie Waclawsky, Cathleen McCoy, Wilma Jackson, Frances Macomber, Gloria Mikituik, Eddie Eckert. SECOND ROW: Ralph Hoffman, Robert Knight, Michael Galdi, Ralph Porzilli, Jeanne Cambouris, Phyllis Fudge, Janet Kudrak, Minnie Kreps, Joan Schilare.

# MATH CLUB

Miss Meyerson very capably assists the members of the Math Club as they endeavor to solve elusive math problems and learn new concepts of mathematics. Six months of high school math and a deep desire to learn are the only requirements for membership. Many members have taken part in citywide math competitions in which Arts has placed second a number of times. Besides having guest speakers, the club attends various functions concerning mathematics.



SEATED, left to right: Diane Cuidera, Barbara Bednar, Mary Ellen Terrezza, Joe Golmanavich, John Gower, Elaine White, Miss Meyerson. STANDING: Joseph Malinowski, Mr. Misurell, Takako Inoue, Elaine Ulozas, Donald Fiorito, Ralph Porzilli, Leslie Wintsch, Mr. Clamurro, Carolee Koenig, Wilma Jackson.

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MODERN DANCE

The Modern Dance Club has been recently organized by Mrs. Donovan. Each week, the girls learn new movements in modern dancing techniques. The exercises are beneficial to each girl since they help to limber up the body and keep it in trim. Any girl with a desire to dance may join the club.



ON THE FLOOR: Alice Toffey, LaVonne Sifford, Joan Lear, Pamela Ireland, Joyce Yablonicky, Christine Cummings. STANDING: Poledi George, Cheryl Stewart, Jeannette Fenney, Janet Howard, Jean Cambouris.

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# ACTIVITIES ORCHESTRA



The Arts High School Orchestra, under the leadership of Mr. Pesile, works diligently to uphold the good reputation it has always possessed. Besides playing for concerts, operas, and assemblies, the orchestra also has performed at many civic functions. A love of both classical and modern music is possessed by all the members. Art and music students alike are eligible for membership.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Ann Hilser, Frances Vitucci, Wilma Jackson, Elaine White, Karen Cicerale, Sidney Berzon, Phyllis Cioffi, Susan Trgala. SECOND ROW: Sandy Cohen, Carol Roellke, Maxine Lipson, Maureen Sweeney, Joyce Vandergyze, Joan Schilare, Maxine Galanty, Anela Szkwarka. THIRD ROW: Charles Ercolano, Roy Street, Thomas Calvia, Frank Giusullo, Jo Ann Minutoli, Donna Thomas, Ray Bristole, Robert Votto, William Rabice. FOURTH ROW: Bob Slonam, Frank Pascal, Joe Golmanavich, Andrew Fresco, Richard Schneider, Lynn Russ, John Sepe, Joe Velenza. FIFTH ROW: Nick Sciarrillo, Richard Meyer, George Woshakiwsky, Walter Schweikardt, Carl Baccaro, Gary Reiner, Ben D'Alesio, Vincent Peluso.



The Scope contributes greatly to the life of Arts High School. Besides reporting the news accurately, it provides fun in the way of crossword puzzles, cartoons, and, of course, chatter. The staff is composed of those students who desire experience in the field of journalism. The members who work arduously may obtain positions as editors. Mr. Rickenbacker, the advisor, calls meetings whenever they are necessary.

LEFT TO RIGHT: Robert Margulski, Marilyn Warner, Mr. Rickenbacher, Wendy Bucharest, Ralph Porzilli,
Patricia Corbley, Editor.

# SEWING CLUB

Members of the Sewing Club learn designing methods as well as sewing methods. Their advisor, Mrs. Hiller, meets with them every Tuesday afternoon to discuss the latest developments in the world of fashion. The club makes many valuable contributions, such as aprons, and pillows, to the Christmas Fair. Very often, the club members visit places of special interest.



TABLE ONE, left to right: Francine Thornton, Imogene Whitaker, Kathleen Barcliff. TABLE TWO: Penelope Powe, Bertha Paden, Faye Kennedy, Gwen Beal. TABLE THREE: Jeanne Cambouris, Mary Ellen Terrezza. STANDING: Joan Velella, Takako Inoue, Kathy Krakowiak, Judith Bowers, Pat Gray, Mrs. Hiller.

SPANISH CLUB

The purpose of the Spanish Club is to learn to converse and enjoy the songs, dances, and customs of the romantic countries. Its name is "Adele" which originated from Association of the Study of Foreign Languages (Asociacion de Estudio de Lenguas Extranjeras). Under the direction of Miss Novak, the members of the club plan pinata parties, excursions and field trips dealing with the romantic languages. No language background is necessary for membership in the Spanish Club.



STANDING, left to right: Michael Galdi, Julius Taylor, Steven Rich, Thomas Lambright, Jake Fenney, Jo Ann Fay, Miss Novak. SEATED: Frances Macomber, Fay Kennedy, Gwen Beal, Anna Dzuiban, Christine Smishkewych, Jolyn Tartaglia, Phyllis De Groot.



FIRST ROW, left to right: Eugene Sweeney, Joseph Hosker, John Insabella, Robert Caputo, Mr. Misurell, John Nalewicki. SECOND ROW: Dennis De Palma, Anthony Pugliese, James Metrocavage.

These ambitious boys are very busy during assembly programs, concerts, operas, and other school functions. Stage lights, scenery, sound effects, motion pictures, tape recordings, and microphones are their responsibilities. Excellent programs are usually the results of their hard work. Mr. Misurell is the advisor.

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FIRST ROW, left to right: Brenda Dawson, Cora Bigelow, Mary Davis, Pat Hicks (Treasurer), Mayor Paul Giordano, Patricia Jagentowicz (Secretary), Dorothy Hamilton, Beverly Jackson, Patricia Gaffga. SECOND ROW: Wilma Jackson, Pat Timpanaro, Alice Toffey, Marylou Simons, Lisetta Pantano, Imogene Whitaker, Sophie Waclawsky, Lorraine Sinkez, Theodora Yacik, Georgina Alexander. THIRD ROW: Julius Benevento, Ronald Brice, John Gower, Ronald Danny, Carletta Hamilton (Deputy Mayor), Donna Milito, Matilda Oppido, Pat Corbley. FOURTH ROW: Joe Singleton, Frank Tota, Michael Galdi, Harold Polk, Mr. Morris, Mr. Rickenbacher.

As the governing body of the school, the Student Council supervises the clubs and many school affairs. Membership consists of two representatives from each homeroom, one representative from each club, and many visitors. The Mayor and Deputy Mayor, who are elected each year by the student body, preside over the weekly meetings. The Student Council promotes the sale of handbooks, bookcovers, and pennants. Also, it sponsors the Variety Show, the Barn Dance, and New Student Orientation. The advisors are Mr. Rickenbacker and Mr. Morris.

## TYPING CLUB

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LEFT TO RIGHT: Alice Toffey, Mrs. Lazar, Barbara Ulrich, Marilyn Warner, Margaret Giordano, Lucille Joudrey, Donald Fiorito, Wendy Bucharest, Beverly Jackson.

Anyone with some knowledge of typing is eligible for membership. The members of the club type homework, puzzles, or Scope material. In addition, they learn to cut stencils, do mimeograph work, or use the electric typewriters. Each term, the club visits various business firms with Mrs. Lazar, the advisor.

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Joanne Carluccio pins the medal of honor on Natalie Pugliese while the other new members await their turn.



Viola-dey Ilaria leads a happy new member, Mary Ellen Terrezza, down the aisle of honor.

#### THE NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The chapter of the National Honor Society, named in honor of our former vice-principal, M. Bernice Hamilton, is supervised by Mr. Clamurro.

Membership in the National Honor Society is the highest form of honor a student at Arts High can achieve. After careful consideration, a faculty committee selects the most outstanding members of the junior and senior classes to represent our school in this organization. Students must possess the qualities of character, scholarship, leadership, and service. The members are inducted semi-annually in a solemn candlelight ceremony, at which each is awarded a pin, acknowledged throughout the nation as a symbol of achievement.

Richard Kafaf, Diane Bartos, Helen Chesek, and Natalie Pugliese stand as their names are called.

# NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY



Mr. Clamurro, the society's advisor, presents Benyonne Lee with the list of new members.





The newly elected members are welcomed into the Honor Society. From left to right are Pat Jagentowitz, Georgina Alexander, Richard Kafaf, Diane Bartos, Natalie Pugliese, and Helen Chesek.



Linda Punchatz, the president, explains to the audience the functions of the society.

# CHRISTMAS FAIR



Angelic reflections.

Hark, the cue!





Angel in the wings.



King for a day.



The Christmas Tableau.



"Made in Japan?"



"Of course it isn't a Picasso but . . ."



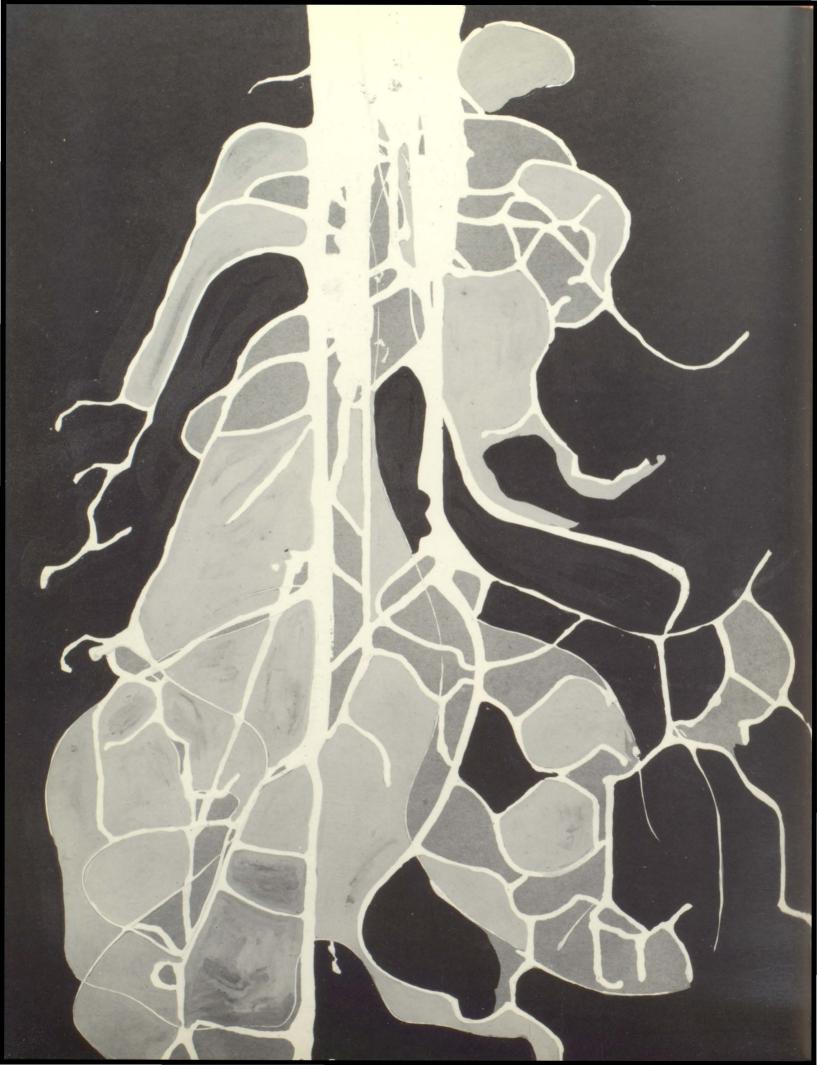
Costume jewelry by Knobler is rapidly gaining popularity.



"Where did you say the stone was?"



"If you had a credit card, you could take both."



A book is closed. That age of carefree, saucy youth is past.

Our years of unbound assurance and expectation must now be replaced with sober maturity.



# SENIOR **ADVISORS**



## GLADYS HOWARD B.S., M.A. Art

Although Miss Howard has been one of our advisors for a short time only, many of us have enjoyed her art class and have seen her work devotedly and energetically on our yearbook. Of her many fine qualities the most admired is her unselfishness. She is the type of person who puts her students, her job, and her other duties before herself. In her classes she has not only done an expert and thorough job of teaching us the essentials of art, but also has given us some helpful philosophy. Besides being a dedicated teacher, she finds time in her busy schedule to help the Essex County Blood Bank and act as a Nurse's Aide for the Red Cross. We will always



## ALICE U. KEEHNER B.S., M.A. English

Warmth, affection, and understanding-these are the words which we use to describe Miss Keehner. Her sincere and pleasant personality attracts both students and faculty members. During our stay at Arts High, she has taken a genuine interest in us, and has been helpful to us in countless ways. A most charming and gracious lady, Miss Keehner will forever remain young in heart. We will always remember her for her deep understanding of our problems, her willingness to help us overcome our difficulties and her stimulation of our interest in the literary world



## LEONARD MORRIS B.A., M.A. History

DAVID JANOWITZ B.S., M.S.

English

Mr. Janowitz has taken a sincere,

devoted interest in each of his students. We shall remember him for

the long dissertations and anecdotes on life which he gave during home-

room and class periods. He has in-

spired us to continue striving toward our goals. When we were in need of guidance, Mr. Janowitz was al-

ways ready and willing to offer us

his assistance. He endeavored to

help us appreciate the finer quali-

ties of our civilization. We will always be grateful for his wonderful

understanding of young people.

HARRY J. GOMMOLL B.S. Art Our class will always remember Mr. Gommoll for his keen interest in our

problems and feelings. If ever we had any questions, he was willing to answer. His sharp wit has given us many pleasant memories. Mr. Gommoll has a strong

sense of justice which has won for him our greatest respect. He has tried to teach us how to be adults, and how to live in the world. At times we may have thought he was stern, but now we know he was only thinking of our best interests. Even after we leave Arts the lessons he has taught our class will re-

main with us

As both our history teacher and class advisor, Mr. Morris has helped to guide us along the road to success. His sincere interest in his students and his affable nature have made him one of the most respected and admired teachers at Arts. Often, Mr. Morris entertains his classes by telling them stories of how "he won the war single handedly!" In addition to history, Mr. Morris is quite enthusiastic about sports. In his spare time he is a sports writer for the weekly Maplewood newspaper. We will always remember Mr. Morris for his concern about our social affairs and for his interest in helping us achieve our











PASQUALE PIEGARI



GEORGINA ALEXANDER



VIOLA-DEY ILARIA



PAMELA ARGIRO

## PASQUALE PIEGARI 9 Wheeler Point Road

Pat will always be remembered by his friends for his big appetite and matching heart. Besides being active in sports, Junior Red Cross, Band, and Orchestra, he has served as the hard-working and ever-energetic president of the Senior Class. Being very versatile, Pat finds nothing odd in mixing his two favorite entertainments—baseball and classical music. Pat's ambition is to become a professional baseball player and most of the people that know him agree that, with a personality such as his, he will be a great success.

#### GEORGINA ALEXANDER 609 Eighteenth Avenue

"George," as she is called by her friends, came to Arts from South Seventeenth Street School. Well liked by all, she has a wide variety of interests ranging from figure painting, Cole Porter and Strauss to swimming and ice skating. Georgina has participated in the Student Council, Drama Club, Math Club and is a member of the National Honor Society. At Arts, she has enjoyed the unity of the students and the teachers. George is an avid worker and can usually be found in the library or with Virginia Robertson, Theodora Yacik and Viola-dey Ilaria. George plans to attend Brandeis University to plan for a career as a foreign diplomat.

#### VIOLA-DEY ILARIA 618 Clifton Avenue

"Vi" is one of Art High's most popular girls. She has distinguished herself as a student by being elected to the National Honor Society and by receiving an A-Pin award. Besides her active participation in school activities, Vi has outside interests which include listening to good music, reading, and painting. Van Gogh is her favorite painter; math, her favorite subject; and Mr. Morris, her favorite teacher. Vi's future plan, which will undoubtedly include higher mathematics, is to attend the college of her choice.

#### PAMELA ARGIRO 398 South Ninth Street

Pamie is stentorian, affable, and popular. Our pretty, peppy class treasurer has a wonderful sense of humor. She loves math classes best at Arts. Pam is a member of the National Honor Society. She is usually found roaming the halls at 8:34 A.M. with Barbara Stawicki. Her likes are Frank Sinatra, pizza, and Broadway; her dislikes are hypocrisy and pessimistic people. Pam is known for her frequent exclamation "Good grief!" recited in a world-weary way and for her candid and humorous opinions. Her future plans include college, marriage to a rich, successful man, and a large family.





NATALIE ANDRANSKY



BARBARA APPLING



ROSEMARIE ATTANASIO



EDWARD AUSTIN



NICHOLAS BAULO



MARY BENDERS



GENEVA BOYD



JUNITA ANNA BRODSKY



MARY MARGUERITE MARIA BURKS

## NATALIE ANDRANSKY 62 Dayton Street

Natalie, nicknamed "Nat," is a person of sincerity and warmth. Quiet and unassuming, she is a true friend, a terrific sport, and a wonderful classmate. Naturally, she is one of the best-liked girls in her class. Her closest friends are Pat Netchell, Alberta Kammel, and Mary Ann Desimone. Her favorite teacher is Mr. Janowitz. She has been active in the Junior Red Cross and in the Leaders' Club. After graduation, Natalie plans to attend college in order to fulfill her desire to teach.

## BARBARA APPLING 110 Chadwick Avenue

Barbara, Arts High's official blues songstress, possesses a warm personality and a cheerful disposition. One of the school's popular girls, she always retains her quiet, gentle air. A big contributor to chorus programs, she is also a member of the Girls' Glee Club. She finds time for Student Council activities, too. Her closest friends at Arts have been Carolyn Slade, Dorothy Hamilton, and Shirley Ramey. Barbara, who plans to make singing her career, has naturally enjoyed her chorus classes best of all.

## ROSEMARIE ATTANASIO 200 South Eighth Street

Rose came to us from Garfield Grammar School. She has a pleasing personality and can usually be found talking or laughing with Marie Galasso or Carol Linfante. She particularly enjoys dancing and painting. Popular music and eating pizza are also among her favorite pastimes. She has been an Honor Roll student at Arts, and has been well liked by everyone. Upon graduation, Rosemarie would like to attend a business college to prepare for a position as a private secretary.

## EDWARD AUSTIN 38 Hawthorne Avenue

Eddie, our debonair ladies' man, has a flair for fashion designing. His spare time is spent going to parties, listening to jazz or looking at paintings. His closest friends are Danny Dawson, Charles Pittman and Lemar Whigham. He likes steak and french fries. His favorite class is Spanish with Miss David; no wonder that he is secretary of the Spanish Club! Eddie has always liked the dances and assembly programs at Arts best. He plans to attend a college where he can continue his study of designing.

## NICHOLAS BAULO 644 South Thirteenth Street

Nick, an alumnus of Branch Brook School, is planning a career in the commercial art field. In his spare time he manages a baseball team as he is quite fond of sports. His favorite food is lasagna and his favorite music is rock 'n' roll. He likes paintings by Dali. Like all good looking boys, he enjoys teasing attractive girls. Nick can be found most often in the "Old Coffee Shoppe" with his friends Tony Marano, Harold Soden and Dave Soden.

## MARY BENDERS 178 Peabody Place

"Christopher" came to Arts from Elliot Street School. She can usually be seen with Madelyn Donaldson. Mary admires Mr. Pesile and Mr. Pickett. She has always enjoyed the friendly atmosphere here at Arts. Because she works after school, she hasn't been able to participate in any school club activities. Her favorite subject is steno and after graduation, she plans to attend a business college.

## GENEVA BOYD 137 Market Street

Geneva, a warm and sincere person, came to Arts from Robert Treat Junior High. She can be seen with Marguerite Burks and Rhonda Patterson. In her spare time she likes to read or to listen to jazz and classical music. In Arts, her favorite subject is Spanish and her favorite teachers are Mr. Pickett and Mr. Pesile. Geneva liked best the friendly teachers in our building. Her pet peeve is examinations. Geneva would like to become a singer and expects to further her education at New York University.

## JUNITA ANNA BRODSKY 818 Parker Street

"Jeania" came to Arts High from Broadway Junior High and plans to attend a secretarial school upon graduation. She enjoys herself most when she is dancing, singing, dating or listening to Hungarian gypsy music. Junita also enjoys many sports such as soccer, swimming and baseball. Among her memorable experiences at Arts have been her long talks with Mrs. Rutledge, whose friendship she values highly. Her tastes in food range from pizza to Hungarian pastries. (Not at the same time, we hopel)

## MARY MARGUERITE MARIA BURKS 71 Hartford Street

Marguerite is a graduate of Robert Treat Junior High School. She is usually found at home or with her close friends Geneva Boyd and Juanita Anderson. Among her many interests are reading novels and painting. Her favorite subject is art but her favorite teacher is Mr. Voller. While at Arts, Marguerite liked the art classes best. Although she is undecided about her future plans, her greatest ambition is to succeed in life.







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ARLENE CARDINALE



JOANN CARLUCCIO



DAHNE COLLINS



DIANNE COOPER



PATRICIA ANNE CORBLEY



ROSALIE CULOTTA

## STEPHEN BURROWS 89 Bergen Street

Stephen is the only boy in the class who dares to state that he has three close friends who are girls: Donna Seymour, Patricia Hicks, and Carletta Hamilton. Of course, Kenny Lancin, Bob and Ray Torsiello, and Irvin Harris don't mind. Stephen is an art major, but he also finds time for a music course with Mr. Pickett. He has been active in the Opera Club, Student Council, Class Cabinet, 1959-1960 All-State Chorus, homeroom and Christmas Fair activities. He has received many Youth Week art awards. In leisure hours Stephen draws fashion illustrations, eats hamburgers and french fries, or goes to the movies. His ambitions include attending Cooper Union to become an art teacher.

## ARLENE CARDINALE 268 Berkeley Avenue

"Ar" came to Arts from First Avenue Grammar School. Wherever there is laughter, Arlene can usually be found in the midst of it. She loves to tease people but can also take the teasing when it is directed at her. She enjoys painting, dating, bowling, and eating all kinds of foods, especially ice cream. Arlene has participated in the Art Service Club, Student Council, Leaders' Club, and Junior Red Cross activities. If asked whom she admires most, Arlene always answers "my hep Mother and Dad." She loves school and gets a big kick out of the wild confusion in the halls between class. Arlene's future plans include a teaching career and marriage.

#### JOANN CARLUCCIO 435 South Fifteenth Street

JoAnn is a studious girl very much interested in the Maryknoll Missionaries. Her favorite subject is mathematics and she enjoys the way Miss Meyerson teaches this course. In her leisure time, JoAnn can be found listening to her Johnny Mathis albums. Arlene Cardinale and Patricia Jagentowitz are her closest friends. JoAnn's extracurricular activities are the Scope, the Ceramics Club, the Variety Show and the Cheering Squad. She is also a member of the National Honor Society. She will always remember Arts-for the friendly attitude of the students. Her future plans include studying mathematics at Monmouth College.

## DAHNE COLLINS 47 South Eleventh Street

Dahne is a quiet girl whose main interest is music. A music major, she prefers popular and classical types. Magic, and doll, stamp, and coin collections are among her other interests. Another of her favorites is history with Mr. Morris. In school, Dahne is usually found with Kathy Hochart, Carolyn Henderson, Sandy Newman and Pat Donnelly. At home she can be found eating french fries, watching television, baby-sitting, or reading. Dahne has been active in the Typing and Art Service clubs.

## DIANNE COOPER 326 Eighteenth Avenue

Dee, an enthusiastic drum corps fan, came to Arts High from Blessed Sacrament School. She has won an award for her speed in taking dictation. Her teacher wonders when she will get an award for her speed in talking. She practices this art during homeroom periods with her close friends Mary Ann Priolo and Barbara Rudnicki. Her spare time is spent in reading or in walking her dog. Dee, who dresses very casually, loves to lounge around in sport clothes and listen to dreamy mood music. She has been active in the Sewing Club and the Typing Club and serves on the Scope staff. Dee's favorite subjects are stenography and chorus and she thinks Mr. Morris and Mr. Kappstatter are the greatest. At the present, Dee has no positive plans for the future.

## PATRICIA ANNE CORBLEY 155 South Eleventh Street

Pat, better known as "Corb," can usually be found talking on the phone to her friends Dee Tisdell, Ann Hilser, Bob Rosselot, or Maxine Galanty. In her junior year, Pat received the coveted A-Pin for her outstanding service to Junior Red Cross, Girls' Swimming Club, Library Guild, Band, Student Council, and Scope. Her great ambition and drive has won her a place in the National Honor Society. Mr. Janowitz, Mr. Pesile and Miss David are her favorite teachers; Spanish is her favorite subject. Pat expects to prepare for a career in nursing. Her past experience as a volunteer at Presbyterian Hospital will undoubtedly be of great value. She will enter Johns Hopkins School of Nursing in September.

#### ROSALIE CULOTTA 173 Second Street

Roe is a graduate of Sussex Avenue School. She can usually be heard saying, "You know what I mean!" Her close friends are Alberta Kammel, Gerry Nigro, and Jean King. Among her many interests are dating, buying clothes, sewing, roller skating, and listening to rock 'n' roll music. Her favorite subject is art, but her favorite teacher is Mrs. Lazar. The things that she's most enjoyed at Arts have been the lunch periods and the friendliness of the students.

## HENRY CURTIS 254 Prince Street

Henry, one of the musically-inclined boys of our school, is a graduate of Branch Brook School. In his spare time he composes music or he listens to records. At other times Henry can be found with friends such as Emmet Jones or Auroy Thomas. His favorite subject is music but his favorite teacher is Mr. Voller. The things that Henry liked best while at Arts were the assembly programs. Although undecided about what school he will attend, Henry's ambition is to become a composer and a disc jockey.

#### NICHOLAS D'AMATO 343 South Eleventh Street

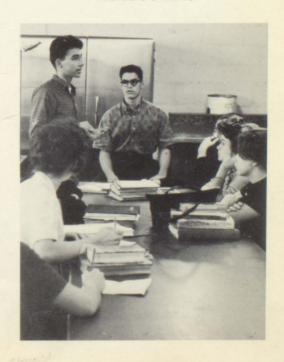
"Uncle Nicky" will be long remembered by those who know him well for his uncanny ability to retain a whole chapter of United States History after forty-five minutes of reading. At almost any time he can be found where Carl and Den are. However, it would be easier to reach him by simply saying "Hot Rods" and waiting for him to show up. It is almost impossible to mention Nick without thinking of Core Brothers Florist, hot rods, and snakes. High school students in about six years will no doubt be telling their parents about Mr. D'Amato, their favorite history teacher.



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Mary Ann came to Arts in her senior year from Hillside High School. Although she has been here only a short time, she has made many friends, two of whom are Nancy Kucinski and Carol Opatkiewitz. In her spare time she plays the accordion, draws or paints pictures. Her other interests are roller skating, ice skating, swimming and rock 'n' roll and classical music. Her favorite subjects are history and art; her favorite teachers are Miss David, Mr. Morris and Miss Meyerson. After graduation Mary Ann plans to attend college.

## RAYMOND KRAKOWVIAK

A graduate of Hawkins Street School, Raymond Krakowviak enjoys water sports, jazz, Italian food, and girls. Ray is an ingenious artist with complexity and flare. He plans to attend an art college to become a commercial artist, although many people tried to persuade Ray to go into fine arts. During his four years here, he has received many art awards. Standing beside his most recent painting, a portrait with a touch of Matisse, Ray was asked, "Who is your favorite artist?" He answered with a provocative smile, "Why Piccaso, of course, who else?"

## RITA KROPILAK 188 Ferry Street

"Re Re" came to Arts from Wilson Avenue School. Because of her job as cashier at the Rivoli Theater, she hasn't had time to participate in many extracurricular activities, but she is a member of the Ceramics Club and a holder of an 80-word steno pin. Rita can usually be found with her friends Eddie Pooters, Janice Dilorenzo, Brigitte Mueller, and Martin Schaeffer. Her pastimes include listening to records and going to the movies. She enjoys dancing, bowling, golfing, and swimming. Her favorite teacher is Mr. Kappstatter. Rita's pet peeve is conceited people. She enjoyed the lunch periods best at Arts. Her plans for the future include marriage and a family.

## LOUISE KRUEGER 408 South Eleventh Street

Louise came to Arts from Fifteenth Avenue School. Her favorite subject is art. She includes reading and dating as her favorite pastimes but also enjoys sewing, painting, and dancing. After school, Louise works at McCrory's. A few of her close friends are Regina Lamaldi and Janice Dilorenzo. While at Arts, she has most enjoyed the art classes and the operas. After graduation, Louise plans to attend Berkeley or Parson's School of Design to train for a career as a secretary or as a fashion illustrator.

## NANCY KUCINSKI 473 South Thirteenth Street

Nancy came to Arts from Eighteenth Avenue School. Her favorite pastimes are eating and reading. She can usually be found with Carol Opatkiewicz in the auditorium. Her favorite teachers are Mr. Gommoll and Mr. Kappstatter. During her high school years she has held a position in Kresge, Newark, as a clerk. President Kennedy is one of the people she especially admires. Nancy's pet peeve is people who like to argue or disagree with her. Her plans for the future include Parson's Secretarial School and a career as a private secretary.

## JANET KUDRAK 478 Roseville Avenue

Janet is a tall blonde with a wonderful personality and a good sense of humor. She is interested in being a piano teacher but hasn't decided on a college. Janet's favorite subject is typing with Mrs. Lazar and her favorite activities are belonging to the Library Guild and the Swimming Club. Among her best friends are Arlene Cardinale and Matilda Oppido. In her spare time she enjoys reading books and being with her boyfriend. Janet will always remember the student-teacher relationships here at Arts.

#### VIRGINIA LA BOONE 41 Baldwin Street

"Sissie" came to Arts from Hill Street School. She enjoys geography classes with her favorite teacher Mr. Voller and especially likes our assembly programs. In school she is usually in the company of Mary Levant and Natalie Alford. At home she is found listening to progressive jazz, reading a good book, cooking, or talking on the telephone. Virginia's favorite sport is tennis and her mode of dress is casual. Virginia's goal is to become a secretary and she will attend business school in preparation for this career.

#### BENYONNE LEE 533 Fourth Street

"Benny," with her radiant personality, has made many friends at Arts. Since she is able to play piano, sing in the chorus, and paint, we consider her very talented. Around school she can usually be heard saying, "Oh, stop that!" Benny will always remember the friendliness of the teachers, and admires most Miss Howard, Mr. Maltese, and Mr. Knobler. An outstanding student, Benny belongs to the National Honor Society, the Student Council, the Math Club, and Scope. Benny plans to continue her education but hasn't yet chosen a particular college.

## REGINA LEMALDI 314 Verona Avenue

Gina came to Arts from Mount Carmel School. Her favorite subject is American history and her favorite teacher is Mr. Morris. Since she enjoys people, Regina is often found with Louise Krueger and Barbara Rudnicki, two of her close friends. She is usually found sitting on her front porch or talking on the phone. Among her other interests are sewing, painting, reading, and listening to popular music. While at Arts, Gina most enjoyed the friendliness of the students. Her ambition is to become a fashion illustrator.





RICHARD FREDA



JULIUS FUZIA



LINDA JEAN GATLING



MARIE GALASSO



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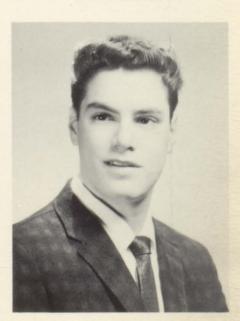
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PAUL GIORDANO

#### MAXINE GALANTY 197 Ferry Street

"Max" is one of the most active girls in the senior class. She has participated in many clubs including the Student Council, Math Club, and Orchestra. Her consistent hard-work, her high scholastic standing, and her sincerity have won for her the A-Pin award and membership in the National Honor Society. Maxine likes all kinds of good music—especially that produced by Mr. Pesile and Van Cliburn. Her greatest ambition is to become a kindergarten teacher.

# MARIE GALASSO 341 North Eleventh Street

Marie, a pretty girl who is liked by all, is an alumna of First Avenue Grammar School. In her spare time, she likes to read or sew. She also indulges in other favorites such as painting and listening to records. She has faithfully served the Student Council, the Junior Red Cross, and the Drama Club. Marie spends much of her time with her closest friends Viola-Dey Ilaria and Elaine Sepe. Her plans for the future include attending college to prepare for a career in the educational field.

#### MARTHA GARDAS 27 Taylor Street

Midge came to Arts High from Saint Michael's School. After school she works as a salesgirl at Woolworth's. Among her many friends are Carolyn Henderson, Kathy Hochart and Tom O'Connell. She enjoys going to movies, listening to Frank Sinatra records, and collecting record albums. She can usually be heard saying "How dumbl" Her favorite sports are tennis and swimming. She prefers sports clothes because she feels more comfortable in them. Her favorite teachers are Miss David and Mr. Morris; her favorite subjects, Spanish and music. While at Arts, Midge most enjoyed teacherstudent relationships. After graduation, she plans to attend Grace Downs Airline Training School for a career as an airline stewardess.

#### LINDA JEAN GATLING 235 Rose Street

Linda, known as "Peanuts" to her friends Dot Hamilton, Gwen Meadows, and Janice Robinson, came to Arts High from Waverly Avenue School. She can't quite decide what she wants to be—a seamstress or a foreign interpreter. Linda can usually be found at home making clothes or baby-sitting. Eating potato chips, drinking soda and talking to William are Linda's favorite pastimes. She has been active in the Typing Club and will always remember the friendly students and the chorus classes at Arts. College and marriage are also major considerations on the schedule for our busy friend Linda.

#### RALPH GIACOBBE 47 Tremont Avenue

A friendly and good-natured fellow, Ralph is very popular with his classmates. His favorite pastime is sports and as a member of the Baseball Team he won a Varsity Letter. Ralph's closest friends at Arts are Vin Di Gerlando, Dennis Woloch, and Carl Erickson. His favorite teacher is Mr. Voller. He likes popular music and, conveniently enough, works in a record shop. Ralph, nicknamed "Shorty," dislikes big people although his ambition is to grow. Ralph enjoyed his art and lunch periods most at Arts and after graduation plans to enter the United States Army.

#### ANTHONY GILDAY 334 South Twelfth Street

"Spike" is the Senior Class's favorite ravioli maker. He can usually be found eating potato chips or listening to Ahmad Jamal. At other times however, he is either driving in his Chevy, standing on Tenth Street, or sleeping. While at Arts, "Spike" has always thoroughly enjoyed his art courses. Mr. Gommoll is his favorite teacher, and Matisse is his favorite artist. Anthony's plans for the future include the United States Navy.

#### PAUL GIORDANO 96 Ann Street

Paul, who came to Arts from Ann Street School, has been active in the Band. In his junior year, he was elected mayor of the Student Council. His close friends at Arts are Vin De Gerlando, Pat Piegari, and Nick D'Amato. Paul likes Italian food, classical music, Ted Williams and history. After graduation, he plans to attend either Montclair or Paterson State College and eventually to become an officer in the Navy.

#### RALPH GIORDANO 96 Ann Street

Ralph is one of Arts High's most popular students. He came to Arts from Branch Brook School and his distinction is that he has never been caught without a smile for anyone who happened along. Ralph likes sports and enjoys playing ball. He has served as the very competent manager of the Track Team. He can usually be found at home fooling around with Tony Marano, Pat Piegari, or Joe Nemeckay. Ralph's plans for the future include attending college and making money—two very realistic goals.

#### CYRIL GOOD 41 Handord Street

Cy is a true athlete and enjoys his positions on the basketball and baseball teams for which he has earned many a Varsity Letter. He comes to us from Dayton Street School. Here at Arts he has enjoyed art and gym classes. In his spare time Cy can be found practicing on a basketball court or at home sketching. He prefers conservative clothing rather than sportswear. His frequent companions are Willie Stewart and Nate Frazier. Cy plans to attend Howard University and later may enter the U.S. Air Force.



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PAULA GORSKI



ESSIE LOUISE GRANT



ROBERT GRAY



LINDA GREEN



CARLETTA HAMILTON



DOROTHY HAMILTON



IRVIN HARRIS

#### PAULA GORSKI 617 South Eighteenth Street

Paula is the cheerful, happy-go-lucky type. She is a graduate of South Seventeenth Street School. Paula's interests vary from examining hot rods to observing people. Her frequent companion is Nick D'Amato. Mr. Janowitz is her favorite teacher though mathematics is her favorite subject. She has served as secretary of the Student Council and has been active in the Scope, Spanish Club and Forum Club activities. Paula plans to further her education but is still undecided about which college she'll attend.

#### ESSIE LOUISE GRANT 201 Morris Avenue

Essie came to Arts from Robert Treat Junior High. Her favorite subjects are music and Spanish and her favorite teachers are Miss David and Mr. Voller. In her spare time she plays the piano and cello but she also likes sewing, cooking and being with friends such as Julius Fuzia, Malcinia Edwards and Ed Prezemelewski. While at Arts, Essie has liked the music opportunities and the lunch periods best. After graduation she plans to attend Howard University in preparation for her career as an elementary school music teacher.

#### ROBERT GRAY 430 South Sixteenth Street

Bob came to Arts from Fifteenth Avenue School. The graduating class of June '61, especially Ralph Giacobbe, Vinny Di Gerlando, Den Woloch and Nick D'Amato, will remember Bob as one of their favorite people. His special interests include customized cars, aviation, painting, and saying "You know it!" Bob likes lunch period and the teachers at Arts but he can't stand people who tell corny jokes. When he hears one, he cracks his knuckles and just tries to ignore it. After graduation Bob wants to further his art education or to enlist in the United States Air Force.

#### LINDA GREEN 211 Renner Avenue

Lin will probably remember her years at Arts High as very full ones. She has been an active member of the Scope, the Junior Red Cross, the Typing Club, the Student Council, and the Glee Club. When not involved in one of these activities, she can be found at the Jewish Community Center with her friends Toby and Sue. Lin enjoys reading, dancing, swimming, boating, and dramatics. She loves to dress up in chiffon dresses and white fur stoles. Her plans for the future are undecided but her success is inevitable.

#### CARLETTA HAMILTON 788 Hunterdon Street

Kim, an unusually quiet girl came to Arts from Public School #12 in Jersey City. In spite of her quiet nature, Kim is very active in school. Active in Student Council, Drama Club, Spanish Club, Girls' Glee Club, and Chorus, in addition to service as secretary of the Student Council and a year as deputy-mayor, Kim has earned the coveted A-Pin. When she isn't dancing, listening to records or reading, her close friends Donna Seymour, Pat Hicks, Mildred Whitaker, and Bobi Dunlap can find her doing what she enjoys most . . . sleeping. Kim's ambition is to attend Howard University to become a kindergarten teacher.

#### DOROTHY HAMILTON 111 Miller Street

Dorothy (Ba Ba) is noted among her classmates for her ability as a dancer. She is candid and full of surprises. Her favorite music is jazz. Dorothy is a member of the Glee Club, the Drama Club, the Leaders' Club, and the Chorus. She is usually found with Barbara Appling and Irvin Harris. Dorothy has especially liked the friendliness of the students and teachers at Arts. Her plans for the future include college and a career in teaching.

# IRVIN HARRIS 11 South Twelfth Street

Irvin, a graduate of Arlington Avenue School, can almost always be found with Malcinia Edwards. Other times he enjoys singing in the All-State Chorus. He prefers jazz to classical music, although his favorite subject is music appreciation. He can often be heard exclaiming "Say what?", as he walks leisurely through the halls. Steak and french fries seem to satisfy Irvin's enormous appetite. Mr. Pickett is his favorite teacher, and Irvin plans to follow in his foot steps. He expects to continue his study of music.

#### ALVAH HARRISON 271 Hunterdon Street

This pretty, amiable girl came to us from Camden Street School and is one of the most likeable girls in the class. She always wears the latest fashions, and they're usually hand-tailored. At home she enjoys eating vegetables or fruits and occasionally likes to bake a pie or cake. Mr. Rueter has Alvah in his Latin, English and study hall classes. Church Choir and other church activities have kept Alvah quite busy. She plans a career as a social service worker or a seamstress. She will always remember Arts for the music department presentations and Arts will remember her as the quiet, unassuming girl in the Class of 1961.

#### MARION HERCKNER 82 Dover Street

Because of her growing interest in the arts, Marion came to Arts High from West Side High School at the beginning of her junior year. In two short years, she has made her way into the core of the school's lively activities. She is the captain of the Cheering Squad and a valuable member of the Leaders' Club, the Junior Red Cross, the Scope, and the Class Cabinet. One can usually find bouyant and benevolent Marion with Francine Vitollo strolling through the ivy covered halls or at the track, baseball, or basketball games. Marion will always be remembered for her cheerful attitude toward everyone. Since her interests are mainly in the sports and art programs, Marion has chosen to be either a physical education teacher or an art teacher.



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BARBARA HUTSON



NANCY JACKSON



PATRICIA JAGENTOWICZ



NANCY KESSELMAN



CAROL KINDLER

### PATRICIA HICKS

Pat is one of our best workers and is a wonderful organizer. She is invaluable when class trips, dances, or other activities must be planned. She has been active in the Drama Club, the Student Council, the Scope, the Junior Red Cross and the Biology Club. Because of persistent service, Pat has earned the coveted A-Pin. Pat greatly admires Miss David and Mr. Pesile. In her spare time she likes to go ice skating or to sew. Carletta Hamilton, Donna Seymour, and Stephen Burrows are among her closest friends. Pat has always enjoyed our operas and concerts. After graduation she plans to attend Newark State College where she will major in elementary education.

#### KATHLEEN HOCHART 51 North Sixth Street

Kathy came to Arts from Sussex Avenue School. She can usually be found talking on the telephone or chatting with her close friends Tom O'Connell, Carole Henderson and Pat Donnelly. Her other interests are listening to the radio, painting, sketching, cooking, watching motion pictures, and horse back riding. Her favorite teachers are Miss Meyerson and Mr. Giordano; her favorite subjects are geometry and art. While at Arts, Kathy has most enjoyed the friendliness of the teachers and students. After graduation she plans to enter Montclair State College to prepare for her career as an art teacher.

#### BARBARA HUTSON 137 New Street

Babs is the fashion-conscious girl who spends most of her time in her closet looking for something to wear. Carolyn Slade and Barbara Fudge can tell you that her dynamic personality makes up for her small size. She enjoys sewing and designing unusual clothing, reading poetry, and attending social gatherings at which she "digs" uncomplicated jazz. Her favorite subjects are Spanish with Miss David and chorus with Mr. Pickett. Barbara served for one year as secretary of Youth Council of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. Her plans for the future include a psychology course at New York University.

#### NANCY JACKSON 145 Peshine Avenue

"Elaine" is one of the easiest girls with whom to get along. Her favorite entertainment is listening to jazz and eating spaghetti. A couple of her close friends are Allie Jefferson and Carolyn Allen. Her main ambition is to become a good pianist but at times she thinks of enlisting in the Waves. Mrs. Shapiro is a favorite teacher of hers. Her favorite author is Sinclair Lewis. She also enjoys the works of Chopin. She will never forget Arts for the many acquaintances she has made.

#### PATRICIA JAGENTOWICZ 440 South Eighteenth Street

Pat came to Arts from Fifteenth Avenue School and is known to all as a happy-go-lucky girl who can make anyone smile. Pat, with her pony-tail trademark, can usually be found with Jo Ann Carluccio and Matilda Oppido eating in the Court House Luncheonette. Though Art Service Club, Swimming Club, Scope and Cheering Squad membership take up most of her time, she also earns money as a sales girl. She has proved to be an industrious individual and has served as president of her junior class. She is also a member of the National Honor Society. She enjoys history, sleeping, baseball, sport clothes, rock and roll, and Mr. Knobler. Pat plans to attend the Newark branch of Rutgers University where she'll major in medical technology.

#### NANCY KESSELMAN 65 Keer Avenue

Although she entered Arts as a junior, Nancy soon fell in with the students and ways of school. This can be attributed to two things—her likability and her intelligent, wordly air. A serious art student, she has already worked as an apprentice in an advertising agency. With this experience in the commercial field, Nancy plans to pursue her art career either at Cooper Union or Pratt University.

# CAROL KINDLER 471 South Eleventh Street

Carol, who came to Arts from St. Ann's Grammar School, has been a member of the Sewing Club, the Spanish Club and the Student Council. She is the proud holder of an 80-word steno pin. If Carol is not on the phone talking to her friends Jo Ann Manzi or Betty and Jean Kearney, she is usually sitting with them on their front porch. She enjoys swimming, dancing, boys, and collecting popular records. Her pet peeve is exams; her favorite subject is music. Carol admires Mr. Morris, Mr. Kappstatter and Mr. Pesile. Her plans for the future include getting married and becoming a good wife and mother. Her immediate plan is to continue to work as a secretary in a law office.

#### MARY KINGSBURY 93 Sixteenth Avenue

Mary, more commonly known as Fran, came to Arts High from Orange Street Grade School. Fran, like most girls, likes to dress fashionably and comfortably; shirtwaist dresses are among her favorite clothes. When her friends Mary Lavant and Virginia La Boone want Fran, they just have to look around for she is usually in the vicinity. Being sociable and dating are high on Fran's list of things to do. Besides getting married and rearing a family, Fran also has career plans. She expects to become a medical secretary.

#### JOSEPH KISSELMAN 328 South Twentieth Street

Joe came to us as an art student from Fifteenth Avenue School. Mr. Giordano is his favorite art teacher and Cezanne, his favorite artist. Joe is usually found playing baseball or basketball in West Side Park. His close friends include Joe Veloso and Frank Stancel. Joe has held various part-time jobs, including that of a drug store stock boy. His favorite pastime is watching television. Joe takes great pleasure in his mathematics classes and plans to attend college in preparation for a career as an engineer.



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"Sissie" came to Arts from Hill Street School. She enjoys geography classes with her favorite teacher Mr. Voller and especially likes our assembly programs. In school she is usually in the company of Mary Levant and Natalie Alford. At home she is found listening to progressive jazz, reading a good book, cooking, or talking on the telephone. Virginia's favorite sport is tennis and her mode of dress is casual. Virginia's goal is to become a secretary and she will attend business school in preparation for this career.

#### BENYONNE LEE 533 Fourth Street

"Benny," with her radiant personality, has made many friends at Arts. Since she is able to play piano, sing in the chorus, and paint, we consider her very talented. Around school she can usually be heard saying, "Oh, stop that!" Benny will always remember the friendliness of the teachers, and admires most Miss Howard, Mr. Maltese, and Mr. Knobler. An outstanding student, Benny belongs to the National Honor Society, the Student Council, the Math Club, and Scope. Benny plans to continue her education but hasn't yet chosen a particular college.

#### REGINA LEMALDI 314 Verona Avenue

Gina came to Arts from Mount Carmel School. Her favorite subject is American history and her favorite teacher is Mr. Morris. Since she enjoys people, Regina is often found with Louise Krueger and Barbara Rudnicki, two of her close friends. She is usually found sitting on her front porch or talking on the phone. Among her other interests are sewing, painting, reading, and listening to popular music. While at Arts, Gina most enjoyed the friendliness of the students. Her ambition is to become a fashion illustrator.

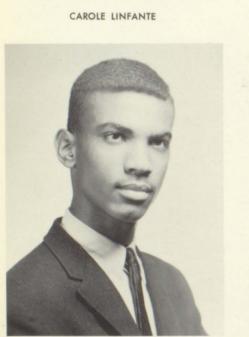








LEONARD A. LUDOVICO





JO ANN MANZI



GERARD M. MARTINO



MARGUERITE McDONALD



CALVIN McNAIR

#### CAROLE LINFANTE 515 North Fifth Street

Lin attended First Avenue School before coming to Arts High. A great girl, she loves taking care of children. She takes pride in her work and spends her spare time doing art work or reading. She can, at lunch time, be found at the Court House Luncheonette with her best friends Linda Suarez, Arlene Cardinale and Tillie Oppido. When not indulging in eating her favorite pizza pie, or watching television programs, Carole sits quietly biting her thumb. Sporty clothes are her favorites. For relaxation she goes swimming or horseback riding. Lin's future plans include attendance at Montclair State College.

#### LEONARD A. LUDOVICO 39 South Magnolia Lane

Leonard came to Arts from Fifteenth Avenue School. His favorite sport is track. During his stay at Arts he has distinguished himself by receiving an art award, three Varsity Letters, and three track medals. In school Leonard is usually found with his best friend Joe Neigel. After school he works as a junior salesman for Brick Church Appliances. Although he is undecided about his future plans, he is certain that he will find a place in the art field.

#### VINCENT LU SANE 1993 McCarter Highway

Vincent came to Arts from Broadway Junior High. After Arts, he plans to attend the Newark School of Fine and Industrial Art. In his spare time, Vincent dabbles in abstract paintings. If one of these studies isn't occupying his time, he can be found at home or with one of his friends. Another of his pastimes is listening to records. His favorite food is southern fried chicken. As far as clothes are concerned, Vincent likes to dress in the fashion of the day. He claims that the girls in his class appealed to him most at Arts.

#### JO ANN MANZI 149 Ivy Street

"Joni," who came to us from Ivy Street Junior High, is usually found with Carol Kindler and Jean Kearny. She has worked as a salesgirl in Woolworth's. Her favorite music is rock 'n' roll and modern jazz. Jo 'Ann, who is usually hunting for her steno machine, has been a member of the Sewing Club, the Typing Club and the Spanish Club. While she is talking on the phone, her favorite pastime is eating apples. At Arts, Jo Ann has most admired Mr. Pesile and Mr. Kappstatter.

#### GERARD M. MARTINO 132 Fairmount Avenue

Jerry, who came to Arts High from Saint Joseph's Grammar School, plans to attend either Miami University or a state college. His main ambition is to finish college and then to continue his study of the dance. Jerry can usually be found with his closest buddies Ed Przemelewski and Julius Fuzia. Although he enjoys modern interpretive dancing, Jerry has been awarded a certificate for athletic accomplishments. He has been an active member of the Student Council. The Arts High variety shows will be Jerry's favorite memory of Arts.

# MARGUERITE McDONALD

Marge, a former student of Morton Street School, has been a member of the Typing Club and the Art Service Club. She can usually be found in room 307 with her friends Brenda Robinson and Marguerette Harrison. In her spare time, Marge enjoys watching television, bowling, or gardening. Her favorite teacher is Miss David and, naturally, her favorite subject is Spanish. During her stay at Arts, she has enjoyed the Annual Christmas Fair the most. Her ambition is to attend Montclair State to become an art teacher.

#### CALVIN McNAIR 10 West Kinney Place

Calvin, the possessor of a beautiful voice, enjoys singing any place and any time. He is usually found at home with a good book or listening to jazz or classical music. Calvin likes people. He can usually be found with Joyce Chapman and Eddie Austin. He has enjoyed art best at Arts but his pet peeve is that his art periods were not long enough. A member of the "Yusef Lateef Soul Club," Calvin likes Edgar Allen Poe, Cezane, roast duck, and Mr. Pickett. He plans to attend Cooper Union. Later he expects to join the Armed Forces.

#### PATRICIA ANN MELIS 92 Van Buren Street

Pat, a graduate of Wilson Avenue School, is one of those girls who have a million friends. Among the very closest are Maxine Galanty, Barbara Rudnicki, Judy Costabile, Regina Lemaldi, and that certain special boy. She can usually be heard saying "Hi, Mooley!" Because Pat loves to dance, some of her fondest memories of Arts High will be the wonderful dances. She has a wide variety of favorites including rock 'n' roll, pizza, Mr. MacFadyen and, oddly enough, physics. Since her ambition is to be an interior decorator, Pat plans to attend the Newark School of Fine and Industrial Art.

#### LYNN BARBARA MERCER 105 Huntington Terrace

Lynn is a quiet, mature girl who looks at the world in a flippant way. She is usually found with Phyllis Moretti and Andrea Narvaez. Lynn works part time in Woolworth's as a salesgirl, loves rock 'n' roll shows, records, and relaxing. Lynn talks in her sleep. Ask her anything and she'll probably say, "Sure, I know it!" Her interests include boys and painting. Her favorite teachers are Mr. Knobler and Mr. Kappstatter. Lynn's future plans include marrying a millionaire and touring Europe. Lots of luck, Lynn'll!





PATRICIA ANN MELIS



LYNN BARBARA MERCER







EDWARD MILLER



ERNEST MILOSCIA



BRIGITTE MUELLER



SARA NAPIER



ANDREA NARVAEZ

#### ANGELA MIGLIORINI 352 West Market Street

"Angie" is the opera expert of the Senior Class. Because she is very musical, she has participated in almost all of our concerts and operas. She is a member of the Glee Club, the Special Chorus, and the Operetta Club. Quite naturally, her favorite teacher is Mr. Pickett. Angela's very fond of Italian and French operas and she can often be heard humming an aria from one of them. Her ambition is to attend a conservatory to prepare for a career as an opera singer.

# EDWARD MILLER 518 Belmont Avenue

Athletic Ed still takes pride in his position as captain of the Basketball Team. He can usually be found with his close friends Nate Frazier and Steve Regan, practicing on a basketball court or at home listening to jazz albums. Ed has also been a member of the Baseball Team and has earned two Varsity Letters. At parties and dances he can be found in his favorite attire: sport clothes. He will always remember the fun during lunch periods with his friends. Ed's plans for the future include a college education.

#### ERNEST MILOSCIA 603 South Twelfth Street

Ernie is well liked by his fellow classmates because of his friendly smile and quiet manner. At Arts, he has enjoyed being a member of the Baseball Team, and earning a Junior Varsity Letter for his efforts. He always has a jolly time during periods with Mr. Voller and in art classes with Mr. Knobler. After graduation Ernie plans to join the Marines and perhaps, one day, to work with jets.

# BRIGITTE MUELLER 32 Hinsdale Place

Brigitte is an outdoor girl who loves all kinds of sports. She has been a member of the Y.M.-Y.W.C.A. and of the Boys' Club of Newark. Her favorite activities include skin diving, archery, fencing and bowling. Interest in water sports has earned her a summer job as a life guard at a children's pool. She liked the teachers at Arts and enjoyed her world history classes best. Her pet peeve is people without a sense of humor. Her future plans include becoming a skin diving instructor.

# SARA NAPIER 101 Ludlow Street

Sara is a quiet, self-contained girl with a characteristic smile of amusement. She came to Arts from Dayton Street School and has since been active in the Typing Club and the Ceramics Club. Her interests and sources of relaxation include oil painting, skating, swimming, playing tennis and dancing. At Arts her closest friends have been Dorothy Pittman and Janet Thomason. Sara's plans for the future are uncertain but will probably include something connected with interior decoration.

#### ANDREA NARVAEZ 282 Verona Avenue

Andi, a dark haired beauty, is one of those girls whom everyone likes. Her hobby is clothes—all the latest styles. Maybe that's why she always looks like a Harper's Bazaar fashion model. She is now employed by the N. J. Bell Telephone Company as an operator. After graduation, she plans to become a stenographer. Lynn Mercer and Phyllis Moretti are usually with her when she listens to the latest platters being spun. Andi's favorite teachers are Mr. Morris and Mr. Kappstatter, but she admires her parents most of all.

# JOSEPH NEIGEL 428 South Fourteenth Street

Amiable Joe is a graduate of Fifteenth Avenue Grammar School. He has been an active member of the baseball and track teams and has won Junior Varsity Letters in both sports. Joe can be found working on cars or painting. His closest friends are Leonard Ludovico, John Kemper, and Ray Krakowiak. He likes jazz and rock and roll. Joe's favorite teachers at Arts are Mr. Morris and Mr. Gommoll. He may join the Air Force after he gets his diploma.

#### JOSEPH NEMECKAY 94 Barbara Street

Joe is a student who is liked by everyone. He is fun to be with because of his sparkling personality. Joe came to Arts from Ann Street School. He may be seen with Nick D'Amato, Pat Piegari, Carl Erickson, and Vincent Di Gerlando. Besides being active as a basketball and baseball player, he is a participant in the Student Council and the T-Square and Triangle Club activities. In his spare time Joe can be found working on his car. During his stay at Arts, he has received three Junior Varsity Letters, and the Latham Foundation Award. His ambition is to become a teacher.

# PATRICIA NETCHEL 314 Dayton Street

Pat, a pert little blond, is a great fan of Frank Sinatra. What girl isn't? She's fond of bowling, dancing, tennis, Mr. Janowitz, and Mr. Morris. Her close friends, Natalie Andransky, Alberta Kammel and Carol Frankovsky, always hear her saying "No kidding?" She absolutely can't stand short telephone conversations. During her years at Arts, Pat has been quite active in Junior Red Cross. At the present, she is undecided about her future plans.



JOSEPH NEIGEL



JOSEPH NEMECKAY



PATRICIA NETCHEL



CARMENITA REGINA NORVELL



CAROL OPATKIEWICZ



MATILDA OPPIDO



VLADIMIR PAWLOWSKI



GIOVANNA PECORA



CHARLES PITTMAN



DOROTHY PITTMAN

#### CARMENITA REGINA NORVELL 261 Eighth Street

Carm has been one of Arts High's favorite people since she came here from South Eighth Street School. (With her silly antics) she has never failed to make even the sternest person burst into gales of laughter. Carm likes to dance, especially to rock 'n' roll music, and has even won a prize for "best dancer" at one of our school affairs. Carm likes to talk but she likes to sing even more. Her ambition is to be a professional vocalist. Among Carm's favorite are Edgar Allen Poe, Lloyd Price, and Mr. Morris.

#### CAROL OPATKIEWICZ 559 South Eleventh Street

Carol, a sweet, quiet girl, graduated from Saint Stanislaus School. She is usually found in the auditorium or with Nancy Kucinski. In her spare time she likes to read, watch television or just listen to soft, dreamy music. Her favorite teachers are Mrs. Lazar and Mr. Kappstatter and her favorite subjects are typing and stenography. Carol most enjoyed the friendly attitude of the teachers here at Arts. After graduation, she plans to become a secretary and eventually to get married.

#### MATILDA OPPIDO 208 South Sixth Street

Tillie, our captivating cheerleader, came to Arts High from Fourteenth Avenue School. Besides being an active member of the Varsity Cheering Squad, she has served as a member of the Girls' Swimming Club, and has been active in the Leaders' Club, Art Service Club and Junior Red Cross. Tillie, known for her gift of "gab," spends her spare time supporting N. J. Bell Telephone Company, calling her close friends, Arlene Cardinale, Linda Suarez and Pat Jagentowicz. Teachers will remember her as the girl who always came prepared for a test—with pencil, paper, and chewing gum. Since her favorite subjects are math, and history, Tillie's favorite teachers are Miss Meyerson and Mr. Morris. After graduation she plans to attend a nursing school, preferably Clara Maass.

#### VLADIMIR PAWLOWSKI 611 South Nineteenth Street

Vlad, a three letter man, came to Arts from South Seventeenth Street School. His main interests are his girl Diane Corsi and sports. Affectionately named "Moose" by his friends Pat Piegari and Joe Nemeckay, Vlad has taken part in basketball and track activities. He has placed first, second, and third in City Track Meets, and has earned a three-year Varsity Track Letter, a one-year Varsity Basketball Letter and a two-year Junior Varsity Basketball Letter. Vlad's favorite teachers are Mr. Voller, Mr. Lang, and Mr. Steisel. His favorite subject is mathematics. Vlad wants to become an engineer and plans to attend Albright College after graduation.

#### GIOVANNA PECORA 444 Kerrigan Boulevard

Giovanna came to Arts from Blessed Sacrament School. She can usually be found at home reading or listening to records. Eva-Maria Rastaetter and Marianne Stepanski are her closest friends. Giovanna likes to paint or cook in her spare time. She prefers casual sports wear. Giovanna enjoys golfing, swimming, archery, and going to the movies. Her favorite teachers are Mr. Morris and Miss Keehner; her favorite subject is English. She enjoyed the lunch periods best at Arts. Giovanna's plans for the future are indefinite, but she would like to attend college.

### CHARLES PITTMAN 446 Avon Avenue

Charles Pittman, a graduate of South Eighth Street School, is a congenial person who is enthusiastic about sports. "Ronnie" as he is known to his friends Edward Austin, Charles Dawson, and Lamar Whigham, likes jazz, Miss Howard, and money. Charles has played on the Baseball Team, run for the Track Team, and received a Varsity Letter in track. He plans to attend Pratt Institute.

#### DOROTHY PITTMAN 305 Jeliff Avenue

"Ray" came to Arts High from Bergen Street School. An outdoor girl, she loves baseball, hockey, fencing, swimming, and horseback riding. She can usually be found with her close friend, Odell Simpson. When not reading, sewing, or writing letters, Ray enjoys lounging around the house or talking on the phone. Her favorite subject is art and her favorite teacher is Miss Howard. She will always remember the musical programs, her art classes and the club programs. She is a member of the Ceramics Club, Leaders' Club, and the Drama Club. Her pet ambition is to own a Jaguar. After graduation, Ray plans to attend the Newark School of Fine and Industrial Art, to become a famous artist, and eventually to get married.

#### MARA PLEKSS 575 Highland Avenue

Mara, our fashionable style setter, is an art student who enjoys drama and the theater. She has participated in almost every Christmas pageant, class play and Drama Club function. Besides seeing many plays, Mara enjoys listening to jazz records, playing tennis and walking, especially in New York. Her favorites at Arts have been the operas, Christmas fairs, Mr. Knobler and Mr. Janowitz. After graduation Mara plans to attend New York University.

#### MARY ANN PRIOLO 166 North Eleventh Street

Mary Ann, a graduate of Garfield School, has brought a bundle of joy to all Arties. She has a delightful personality and an infectious laugh. In her spare time, she usually reads or listens to her hi-fi. Her hobby is collecting sugar cubes. Mary Ann has participated in many school activities such as the Scope, Swimming Club, Leaders' Club, and Cheering Squad. Her fondest memories of Arts will be the student-teacher relationships. Mary Ann is not sure whether she will further her education in college or join the Waves.



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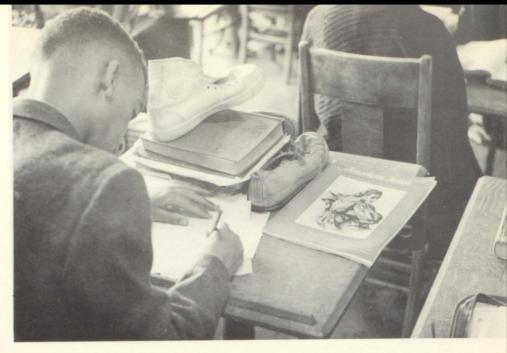


MARY ANN PRIOLO





EDWARD PRZEMELEWSKI





LINDA JOY PUNCHATZ



EVA-MARIA RASTAETTER



STEVEN REGAN



DAVID RHEUBOTTOM



JO ANN RICHTER



VIRGINIA ROBERTSON

#### EDWARD PRZEMELEWSKI 34 Hawkins Street

Ed came to us from Hawkins Street School. His favorite pastime is listening or dancing to rock 'n' roll music. In retrospect, Ed will always remember his art classes and the concerts at Arts. His favorite teachers are Mr. Voller and Mr. Morris. Ed, whose favorite sports are swimming and bowling, holds a part-time job in a bowling alley. His plans for the future include Jersey City State College and eventually a career as a teacher.

#### LINDA JOY PUNCHATZ 375 Yale Avenue, Hillside, New Jersey

"Punchie" (pronounced Poonchie) is a highly intelligent girl who looks like a modern Puck. Very talented, she can sing Gershwin beautifully. She is usually found in the Guidance Office or wandering through the halls with Mara Plekss. Her participation in student affairs has earned her an A-Pin, and she holds the coveted position of president of the National Honor Society. She likes lunch periods, John Steinbeck, and Picasso, and is an avid jazz fan. After graduation she plans to study foreign languages at Beaver College. Traveling and studying philosophy are among her other ambitions.

### EVA-MARIA RASTAETTER 137 Norwood Street

Eva, a pretty German girl, is a graduate of Madison Junior High. She can usually be found roaming the halls or talking in the locker room with Dolores Tisdell, Marianne Stepansky and Giovanna Pecora. During her spare time, Eva enjoys reading, sketching, drawing or painting portraits and going to the movies. Her favorite subject is English but she openly admits that she does not play favorites with teachers. While at Arts, she has most enjoyed the informal student-teacher relationship. Eva's ambition is to travel extensively. She intends to fulfill this ambition by working in a travel agency or some other place that will make travel possible.

#### STEVEN REGAN 63 Monmouth Street

Steve, a boy with a great sense of humor and high ambitions, came to Arts from Monmouth Street School. While here he has most enjoyed Mr. Giordano's art classes. Steven also enjoys listening to jazz and eating Italian foods. He can usually be found playing basketball with Cyril Good, Ed Miller or Nathaniel Frazier; otherwise, he is at home watching television. His intentions are either to join the Marines or to become an art teacher after graduation.

# DAVID RHEUBOTTOM 450 Belmont Avenue

David Rheubottom is a quiet, amiable, intelligent person. He can usually be found in the auditorium with Vincent LuSane discussing their many common interests. He has a rare gift of determination, and displays it in history and geometry classes and in his part time employment. "I've enjoyed the student-teacher relationship and have admired the enthusiasm at Student Council meetings," David says, "but those subject matter tests!" David has a mathematical mind and plans to attend Newark College of Engineering after graduation.

## JO ANN RICHTER 333 South Tenth Street

Jo is an All-American girl with a winning personality. Francine Vitollo, Patty Votto, and that certain special boyfriend are her favorite companions. Jo Ann is outstanding in art and typing for which she has received medals and certificates. In her spare time she enjoys bowling, swimming, and jazz. Her extracurricular activities include the Junior Red Cross, Typing Club, Ceramics Club, and the Biology-Science Club. She will always remember Arts for the wonderful acquaintances she has made and for the lunch periods. Jo Ann's plans for the future include nursing school, a career in the field of medicine, and eventually, marriage.

#### VIRGINIA ROBERTSON 343 South Ninth Street

"Ginger" came to Arts from Fourteenth Avenue School. She is a girl who is vivacious, pleasant and always enjoyable to be with. Although she works after school in Janet Shops, she still manages to find time to belong to the Art Service Club and the Sewing Club. In addition to all these activities, Ginger also acts as moderator of her church's youth organization. She enjoys listening to classical music and Broadway sound tracks. She will always remember the band's performances and Mr. Yablick will always stand out in her memories of Arts. After graduation, Ginger plans to further her education in preparation for her career as an art teacher.

#### BRENDA ROBINSON 55 Treacy Avenue

Brenda, an enthusiastic cheerleader, came to Arts from Burnet Street School. Basketball, naturally, is her favorite sport. She can be seen in the hallway with Joyce Chapman, Gwen Gibbons and Shirley. In spite of the fact that Brenda is a peppy cheerleader, she likes to sleep. She loves to lounge around the house in slacks and watch television while gorging herself with steak smothered in onions and peppers. The friendly atmosphere at Arts is what Brenda likes best about our school. She hasn't yet quite decided where she wants to further her education, but some nursing school will be extremely lucky to get our Brenda.

#### BARBARA RUDNICKI 329 New York Avenue

"Babs," a graduate of St. John's School, is a fun loving girl with an infectious giggle. She enjoys spending her spare time talking on the phone, or dating handsome fellows like Bob. Among her many friends are Judy Costabile, Regina Lemaldi, Pat Melis, and Dianne Cooper. Among her many interests are bowling, boating, dancing, tistening to slow dreamy music, and going to the movies. While at Arts, Babs has received steno and typing awards. Quite naturally her favorite teachers are Mrs. Lazar and Mr. Kappstatter and her favorite subject is typing. Barbara hopes to become a fashion designer.





BRENDA ROBINSON



BARBARA RUDNICKI



LOUIS SAN GIOVANNI



BARBARA SANTORA



HENRY SASIAK



JOAN JENNIFER SCHILARE



ELAINE TERESA SEPE



DONNA MARIA SEYMOUR



THOMAS SHERMAN



#### LOUIS SAN GIOVANNI 81 Hoyt Street

Lou is a very quiet, intelligent person who enjoys playing baseball and basketball. His favorite subject is gym; his favorite teachers are Mr. Lang and Mr. Reuter. He can usually be found with Ralph Giacobbe and Frank Stancel. In his spare time he tinkers with cars or builds models of midget cars. Lou served as treasurer of his junjor class and was a candidate for Boys' State during that year. Lou's pet peeve is smart girls. He will always remember Arts for its student-teacher relationships.

#### BARBARA SANTORA 418 Mount Prospect Avenue

Barbara, a graduate of Broadway Junior High, is very cheerful and amiable. In the auditorium before classes she can usually be seen with Georgina Alexander and Theodora Yacik. Barbara is an ardent admirer of Mr. Steisel and she likes Miss David very much. She enjoys swimming, painting, and reading novels by Pearl S. Buck. Barbara has especially liked the students at Arts. She plans to attend Newark State College.

#### HENRY SASIAK 109 Niagra Street

Henry, tall and blond, has the habit of looking very profound when asked a question; however, he amiably answers, "I guess." He enjoys watching television, listening to the radio, and eating Italian food. In his spare time he usually putters around at home or works on cars. Of all his courses, he has liked gym classes best. After graduation, Henry plans to join the Air Force, although his major ambition is to become an interior decorator.

#### JOAN JENNIFER SCHILARE 100 Komorn Street

Joanie is an ambitious girl with a great zest for life. Above all, she loves music and plans to become a music teacher. Her favorite subject is music appreciation and her favorite teachers are Mr. Pesile and Mr. Tobia. Joanie has been active in the Junior Red Cross, the Typing Club and the Orchestra. A few of her close friends are Sophie Waclawski and Angela Albano. Her favorite entertainment is going to the theater or listening to her jazz records. She has great admiration for people who excel in their fields and her pet ambition is to be a success. While at Arts, Joanie enjoyed the wonderful teachers and the informal atmosphere.

#### ELAINE TERESA SEPE 401 Roseville Avenue

"Munchkin" is one of Arts High's favorite songbirds. No one who knows her will forget her lovely voice and vibrant personality. "To know her is to love her" is a statement that seems to have been composed for this little girl who can usually be found talking and laughing with Paula Gorski, Marie Galasso, and Viola-dey Ilaria. While in Arts, Elaine has been active in Glee Club, the Operetta Club, and the Student Council. She has received an A-Pin for her services. She plans to attend Newark State College.

#### DONNA MARIA SEYMOUR 12 Treacy Avenue

Donna, a girl equipped with a radiant personality, is a graduate of Blessed Sacrament School. During her years at Arts, she has acquired many honors including National Honor Society and A-Pin. Bobi Dunlap, Carletta Hamilton, Mildred Whitaker, Roy Street, and Stephen Burrows are a few of her many friends. In her spare time she plays the piano, dances or sews. Her extracurricular activities include Girls' Glee Club, Library Guild, and Student Council. She is also a Junior Varsity Cheerleader. She hopes her ambition to become a pharmacist will be realized.

#### THOMAS SHERMAN 80 Columbia Avenue

Tom, a graduate of South Tenth Street School, is a fun-loving, happy-go-lucky fellow. Among his many close friends are Pat Corbley, Dee Tisdell and Bob Rosselot. Tommy's pet expression is, "What a nut!" and his pet peeve is hearing old jokes. Some people can't seem to understand why he enjoys eating pot roast with burned onion gravy. His favorite teachers are Mrs. Neuss and Mr. Pickett. To prepare himself for a career as a medical technician, he has worked at Beth Israel Hospital as a male aid.

#### ALEX SIBIRNYI 107 Belmont Avenue

Alex came to Arts from Arlington Avenue School. He is one of the most talented art students in this school and has won many art awards. Some of his other interests are painting, photography, jazz, boxing and football. His favorite teacher is Mr. Spindler, but his favorite subjects are history and English. While at Arts, he has most enjoyed the wonderful training he has received here. After graduation, Alex plans to attend Pratt Institute in preparation for a career as an artist.

# CHRISTINE SIDWA

"Chris" is an alumna of Blessed Sacrament School. She can usually be seen with Donna Seymour and Janet Thomason. While at Arts, she has participated in the activities of the Library Guild and the Glee Club. She liked everything about our school. Her favorite teacher is Miss Abos; her pet peeve is geometry. Although Chris is not certain about her career plans, she intends to go to Alliance College.

#### JOHN SARAPPA 25 Van Wagenen Street

John, a friendly, handsome representative from Italy, spent his childhood in that country before coming to Newark. Listening to good music, playing his guitar, and bowling are his favorite pastimes. One of his close friends is Henry Curtis. His favorite teachers are Mr. Pesile and Mr. Morris. John also has a few part-time jobs. John's ambition is to become a song writer. Eventually, he hopes to succeed in show business.



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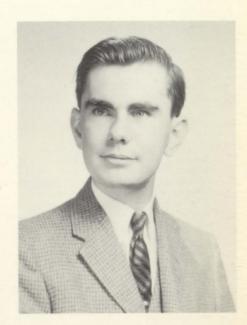








ALEXANDER SMISHKEWYCH



JOHN SMITH



HAROLD SODEN



TERESA SPANOS



FRANK STANCEL

#### THOMASINA SKIPPER 382 Dayton Street

Tom, who came to Arts High from Dayton Street School, is mainly interested in music. She has an extraordinary talent for playing piano, an activity which takes up most of her spare time and for which she has received an award. However, she also finds time for dancing, drawing, and reading. Tom favors classical music and jazz. She is a loyal member of the Girls' Glee Club. Her closest friends include Barbara Appling, Jewel Jenkins, and Rosalyn La Rue. After graduation, Tom plans to attend Montclair State College where she will major in music.

#### CAROLYN SLADE 97 Monmouth Street

Carolyn, a vocal-minded student, belongs to the Operetta Club, has served in the All-State Chorus, and was chosen for a leading role in Madame Butterfly. Her other extracurricular activities include the Typing Club, the Sewing Club, and the Cheering Squad. In her spare time she can be found with Mildred Whitaker, Barbara Appling, Donna Seymour or Carletta Hamilton, in Mr. Pickett's room, or at home just lounging around. She plans to attend Juilliard in preparation for a career in the field of music. She will always remember Arts because of the fun she had with her friends at lunch time.

#### ALEXANDER SMISHKEWYCH 518 South Seventeenth Street

Alex came to Arts from Escuela No. 4 of Villa Espacia in Argentina. A few of his many close friends are Joseph Kisselman, Frank Stancel and Joe Veloso. While here, Alex has most enjoyed the art classes with Mr. Giordano. He likes the paintings of Cezanne immensely. Collecting stamps and coins, painting, and reading are some of his other interests. Although an art student, Alex also enjoys classical and Latin American music. He will always remember the teachers for the fine way they train the students for their careers. Alex has the ability to become a fine artist; but, he prefers to join the Air Force to become a pilot.

#### JOHN SMITH 810 Broadway

Jack, who came to Arts High from Broadway Junior High, hopes to continue his education at Montclair State College. He is a quiet person who likes to play golf in his spare time. Jack also enjoys volleyball, football, and swimming. The theater is listed as his favorite form of entertainment. Robert Gray, Bryant Bergeron, and Steve Bowers are among Jack's closest friends. If he isn't with his friends, John can usually be found at home working on his coin or flag collection.

### HAROLD SODEN 3-5 Littleton Avenue

Harold, or "Butch," as he is called by his friends, came to Arts from Branch Brook School. A few of his many friends are Nick Baulo, Ralph Giordano, and Anthony Marano. His main interest is sport contests but he also enjoys singing, dancing and listening to the radio. His favorite subjects are English and art but his favorite teacher is Mr. Voller. While at Arts, Harold has enjoyed himself most at the dances. After graduation, he plans to attend Rutgers University and later join the Navy.

#### TERESA SPANOS 105 Third Street

Tessie came to Arts High from Thirteenth Avenue School. She is usually found with JoAnn Richter, Francine Vitollo, Pam Scaia, Patti Votto, or Frank Tota. Her favorite subject is art and her favorite artist is Paul Cezanne. Her pastimes include bowling, parties and dances, eating Italian foods, going to the movies, and watching baseball games. She likes progressive jazz and prefers sports clothes to formal wear. Her pet ambition is to take a trip to Las Vegas. Her favorite teacher is Mrs. Neuss and she will always remember Arts because of the fun during lunch periods. Tessie plans to attend Newark School of Fine and Industrial Art in preparation for a career as a fashion designer.

#### FRANK STANCEL 303 South Seventh Street

Frank is a quiet boy, whose main ambition is to become a commercial artist. He has been an active member of the Arts High Baseball Team. Frank has most enjoyed his art periods with Mr. Giordano. His favorite artist is Leonardo Da Vinci. In his spare time Frank plays baseball, paints, or watches television. "Silas Marner" by George Eliot is his favorite novel. He is usually found with Joe Kisselman and Louis San Giovanni. Frank likes to listen to pop music and eat pizza. Arts High will always be remembered by him for the fine training he has received in the field of art.

#### ULANA STANKO 480 South Tenth Street

Ulana is a conservative intellectual who only acts uninhibited in bookstores and libraries. She has a charming Mona Lisa smile but when peeved, she has the habit of arching one eyebrow and saying "Lady" in a bus driver-like tone. Among her many pastimes are listening to classical music, and having intellectual arguments with Barbara Stawicki at odd moments. Ulana is a member of the National Honor Society, a holder of a Youth Week Art Award and an active member of the Ukrainian Youth Club. Her future plans include college and travel abroad.

#### BARBARA STAWICKI 941 South Twentieth Street

"Sticky-Wicky" is a unique person with a dynamic personality. She is an intellectual who is constantly analyzing people. She abhors narrow-mindedness. Babs has a quick sense of humor. She enjoys yoga and jazz and fills her spare time with visits to New York City. Barbara is usually found roaming around with Pamela Argiro. The holder of an A-Pin, she is noted for her work in starting a Girls' Swim Club at Arts. She has especially liked English with Mr. Janowitz. Her future plans include attending Rutgers University to further her writing abilities. Her ambition is to become an iconoclastic prophet, poet, and painter.



ULANA STANKO



BARBARA STAWICKI





MARIANNE STEPANSKI



WILLIAM STEWART



LINDA SUAREZ



ROBERT SULZER



JANET THOMASON



DOLORES GAIL TISDELL



#### MARIANNE STEPANSKI 738 South Twentieth Street

Marianne, a sweet and sincere girl, graduated from South Seventeenth Street School. She can usually be found with her close friends Sophie Waclawsky, Eva-Marie Rastaetter, and Giovanna Pecora. Besides painting and sketching, Marianne also likes reading, watching television, visiting friends, and going to a good movie. Her favorite subjects are English and art; her favorite teachers are Miss Keehner, Mr. Morris and Miss David. Her pet peeve is ill-mannered people and she dislikes "real gone" rock in roll music. The things Marianne will never forget about Arts are the friendly atmosphere and the assembly programs. Her plans for the future are to attend college to become a good art teacher.

#### WILLIAM STEWART 116 South Twelfth Street

Willie, a track man and an admirer of John Thomas is also a good basketball player. At night he can be found playing his bongo drums or listening to bongo albums. Miss David's Spanish classes have always brightened Willie's school day. He prefers ivy league and continental clothes to formal or sports wear. A loyal member of the Basketball Team and the Track Team, Willie has earned two Varsity Track Letters. Arts will always be remembered by him for its sports and for the fun he had with his friends. In spite of his pet peeve—homework, Willie's plans for the future include college and probably a tour of duty in the Marine Corps.

#### LINDA SUAREZ 495 South Thirteenth Street

"Porky" came to Arts from Burnet Street School. She can usually be found sipping a malted in the Court Luncheonette with her friends Judy Felipe and Arlene Cardinale. In her spare time she thoroughly enjoys eating pizza, sleeping, or talking on the telephone. When she is not listening to Sinatra albums or babysitting, she spends her time with Mickey. Linda's extracurricular activities include the Student Council, the Leaders' Club, the Swimming Club, and the Varsity Cheering Squad. Her outstanding art ability has been proven by her Latham Foundation Art Award. Linda will never forget Arts High because of Mr. Knobler, Miss Abos, Miss David and the lunch periods. She plans to major in art at Pratt Institute.

#### ROBERT SULZER 379 High Street

Before coming to Arts High, Bob attended Central Avenue Grammar School. His close friends, particularly Nick Baulo and Harold Soden, find that Bob especially enjoys playing baseball or bowling in his spare time. If not engaging in one of these pastimes, he may be found at the movies, listening to rock 'n' roll, eating Italian food, or just loafing. He is, however, not a loafer at heart because he has held jobs both as a newspaper boy and as a caretaker. Bob's favorite teacher is Mr. Voller and Michaelangelo is his favorite artist. He hopes to own his own business someday.

#### JANET THOMASON 525 Bergen Street

Janet came to Arts from Avon Avenue School. Some of her closest friends are Sara Napier, Geneva Boyd and Malcinia Edwards. In school her favorite subjects are Spanish and biology. Her favorite teacher is Miss David. Janet has been active in the Typing Club and in the Glee Club. Her pet peeve in school is examinations. Janet's future plans include to ining for a career in beauty culture and cosmetology.

#### DOLORES GAIL TISDELL 644 South Thirteenth Street

Wherever there's lots of work to be done, Dee can usually be found. Her current job as a waitress in Rudy's Pizzeria is a sure sign of that. She has a peculiar habit of constantly scratching her nose which seems to bother Pat Corbley, Bob Rosselot and Lee Smith. Mr. Janowitz has been her favorite teacher and English, her favorite subject. Dee admires Abraham Lincoln, maybe that's why she can't stand anyone who's dishonest. An alumna of South Seventeenth Street School, she would like to make nursing her career.

#### RAYMOND TORSIELLO 301 South Orange Avenue

Ray, a charmer with a warm personality, attended Fourteenth Avenue School. He came to Arts High as an art major but has also succeeded in his music classes. He has been active in the Special Chorus and Opera Club and can be heard singing any place at any time. He admires the teachers, scorns heavy make-up on girls, and studies snakes! Raymond's open mindedness and his frankness, with just a touch of humor, are among his many outstanding qualities. Because of his great interest in music, Ray expects to attend a professional school to further his musical education.

# ROBERT TORSIELLO 301 South Orange Avenue

Bob, a graduate of Fourteenth Avenue School, is a very versatile boy. He has majored in both art and music but especially enjoys working with automobiles. He is usually seen with his friends Kenny Lancin and Richard Kafaf. Mr. Pickett is his favorite teacher; history, his best subject; and short dresses, his pet peeve. Bob has received recognition in baseball, swimming, and chorus. He plans to enter either the United States Navy or the General Motors School. A congenial and determined person, Bob will work hard to achieve success.

#### FRANK TOTA 22 Mead Street

Frankie is one of the most popular and most studious boys in the Senior Class. His popularity was shown when he was elected vice-presdent of his junior class. He has been a loyal member of the Science Club, the Junior Red Cross, the Vignette Staff, and the Swimming Team. He always attends the Student Council meetings. He particularly enjoys geometry with Miss Meyerson. Dancing and watching television are his favorite pastimes. Frank can usually be found with Richie Nebiola, Theresa Spanos and Barbara Santora. Arts High will always be remembered by him for its teacher-student relationships. In college, Frank will major in meteorology.



RAYMOND TORSIELLO



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JOHN UTLEY



JOSEPH VELOSO



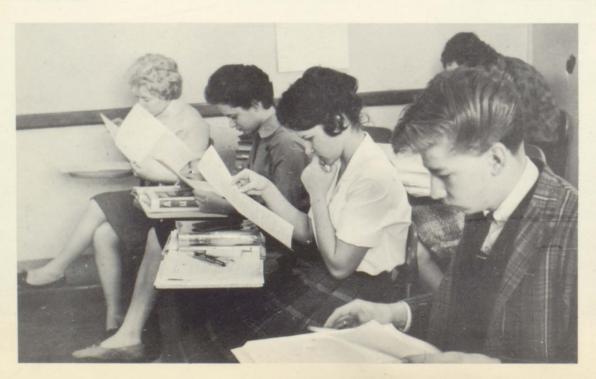
FRANCINE VITOLLO



EUGENIA VOLZ



PATRICIA VOTTO



#### MARIE TUTELA 245 Littleton Avenue

Marie is a picture of the young sophisticate, wearing clothes like a Vogue model. She has worked as a model, a secretary, and a salesgirl. Marie is constantly combing her hair. She always enjoys being with Diane Becker and Joe Valenza. Marie's favorite entertainment is television. She also enjoys books by Agatha Christie and Italian food. Her pet peeve is parsimonious boys. Marie admires Mr. Pickett but her favorite class has always been art with Mr. Knobler. She has been a member of the Sewing Club and the Student Council. Marie may seek a career in the secretarial field.

#### JOHN UTLEY 604 Belmont Avenue

John, the boy with the friendly smile, came to Arts from Central Avenue School. He is one of the school's best and most devoted athletes, having received Varsity Letters in baseball and basketball. In the company of his many friends, John is usually seen toting his duffle bag and sneakers to practice. He never fails to add a touch of humor and cheerfulness to all his classes. John plans to study law at Rutgers University or to prepare for a teaching career at Montclair State College.

#### JOSEPH VELOSO 156 Elm Street

Joe came to Arts from Lafayette Street School. Some of his friends at Arts are Alan Pohlman, Alex Smishkewych and Frank Stancel. His favorite teacher is Mr. Misurell. Joe is very interested in sports and although he was a member of the baseball team and enjoys watching and playing basketball and football, his favorite sport is bowling. He spends much of his spare time perfecting his game and hopes someday to be a champion bowler.

### FRANCINE VITOLLO 22 Mead Street

Francine, an all-around student, is not only scholastically high in her class but also participates in many extracurricular activities, including the Glee Club, the Student Council, the Scope, and the Science-Biology Club. As a cheerleader, she attended many athletic events. Her close friends are Marion Herckner, Patti Votto, and Jo Ann Richter. In her spare time she enjoys listening to both progressive and modern jazz, reading various types of literature, especially poetry, and likes anything that is new and different. Her favorite subjects are math and science and Mr. Thomas is her favorite teacher. She will always remember Arts, not only because it gave her an excellent secondary education but also because it acquainted her with the cultural worlds of art and music. She plans to attend Douglass College in preparation for a career in math or science.

#### EUGENIA VOLZ 600 High Street

Eugenia will be well-remembered for her magnetic personality and charm. She is popular with everyone. In her spare time, she enjoys reading, listening to classical music, or shopping in New York City. At Arts, the things she has enjoyed most have been the concerts and operas in which she often participated. Miss Abos and Mr. Pesile are among her favorite teachers. She also enjoys ice skating, casual clothes, chocolate, and Thomas Wolfe. Eugenia's future plans include attending Juilliard Conservatory of Music.

# PATRICIA VOTTO 717 South Fourteenth Street

Patti, the popular blue-eyed blonde, is a girl of tremendous versatility. Her extracurricular activities include her particiation in the Science-Bio Club, Variety Show, the Library Guild, the Typing Club and the Christmas Pageant. In school, she can usually be found with Francine Vitollo and Jo Ann Richter but after school hours, she enjoys the companionship of that special boyfriend. She also finds time for bowling, golf, parties, dances and jazz. She will always remember Arts High because of Mr. Pesile and Mrs. Lazar. Patti's plans for the future include a year of training at the Berkeley School, a career in the business world, and eventually marriage.

#### SOPHIE WACLAWSKY 859 South Eighteenth Street

Soph, who came to Arts from Saint John's School, loves to take part in anything that has to do with music. She sings, dances and enjoys lounging around the house listening to records. Her close friends include Joan Schilare, Eugenia Volz, Maxine Galanty and Marianne Stepanski. Soph is an extremely travel-minded person and dreams of touring all of Europe and the United States someday. She has enjoyed the interesting way in which her classes have been conducted—especially her music classes. An active member of the Sewing Club, the Glee Club, the Chorus, the Library Guild, the Junior Red Cross, and the Typing Club, she is the proud owner of the A-Pin, and has recently been elected to National Honor Society membership. Sophie plans to attend Newark State College to become an elementary teacher.

# WILLIAM WARREN 128 South Thirteenth Street

Willy Warren is a quiet, complaisant person who came to us from South Eighth Street School. His favorite class is Spanish, his favorite teacher is Miss David, and his best friend is Willie Stewart. Willy can usually be found in his homeroom early in the morning doing his homework. He has been an active member of the Track Team under the direction of Mr. Thomas. An art major, Willy will continue his education at Newark College of Engineering.

# MILTON WESTLEY 19 Courthouse Place

Milton came to Arts from Robert Treat Junior High School. He has been active in both basketball and track programs. His favorite teachers are Miss David and Mr. Voller. Milton's pet peeve is final examinations. Having once held a job in a music store, he enjoys all music, especially jazz. He is usually found in the company of Calvin McNair and Roy Street. At Arts, Milton has enjoyed his fellow students and music courses very much.



SOPHIE WACLAWSKY



WILLIAM WARREN



MILTON WESTLEY



LEMAR WHIGHAM



MILDRED WHITAKER



GWENDOLYN WILSON



LESTER WILSON



DENNIS WOLOCH



THEODORA YACIK



#### LEMAR WHIGHAM 581 High Street

Lemar came to Arts from Our Lady of Good Counsel High School. Possessing a charming smile, he is a popular boy who enjoys being at dances and parties. His interests include football, cars, hunting, and bowling. He is usualy found with Edward Austin and Charles Pittman or at a record store listening to jazz and rock 'n' roll music. While at Arts, Lemar has especially enjoyed Mr. Morris's history classes. Lemar expects to attend college or to prepare for a career as a mortician.

# MILDRED WHITAKER 21 Stratford Place

Milly, a definite extrovert, has a hearty laugh and a radiant personality. During her four years here, Milly has made many friends. A few of her closest are Donna Seymour, and Carletta Hamilton. Milly has been active in the Library Guild, the Opera Workshop, the Girls' Glee Club, the Student Council, the Typing Club, and the Leaders' Club. She received the A-Pin and a typing award last year. A music student, she enjoys the concerts at Arts, progressive jazz, Latin-American music, and dancing the mombo. Mildred will always remember the lunch periods, Miss Keehner, her history class, and the boys at Arts. She intends to continue her education at Trenton State College.

#### GWENDOLYN WILSON

62 Bellavista Avenue, Belleville, New Jersey

Gwen, pleasant and cheerful by nature, is a faithful art student, who enjoys her art classes, sketching and Michelangelo. She has worked as a travel consultant and finds the travel world fascinating. Her favorite teacher is Mr. Morris. Gwen has been active in the Drama Club, the Ceramics Club and in the production of "The Cloak" for the 1959 Christmas Fair. She portrayed the role of the angel. She wants to become a commercial artist.

# LESTER WILSON 72 Rankin Street

"Sweety" is the nickname given to Lester by his friends, William Thomas, David Thomas, and Milton Westley, because of his tremendous sweet tooth. Besides eating candy, Sweety collects records, studies animals, practices and sings with a group called the "Emotions." He enjoys talking and joking with girls, and listening to Afro-jazz. Lester's favorite subject is art. His style of clothing is conservative. After graduation he plans to attend the Disc Jockey School of New York.

#### DENNIS WOLOCH 442 Fifth Street

Den came to Arts from Garfield School as a potential art student. The best place to look for him at any time is at Nick D'Amato's house with Nick and Carl Erickson. While at Arts, he has been a valuable member of the Basketball Team and the Track Team. He has earned Varsity Letters in both sports—plus three track medals. He has also earned a medal and various awards for his art work. Den's ambition is to become a successful artist, a worthy and very possible goal for him. After graduation, he plans to attend Montclair State College.

# THEODORA YACIK

"Teddy-Bear," as she is called by many of her friends, came to Arts from Lafayette Street School. Her dependability, her sincerity and her wonderful personality have won the admiration of her many friends. She may often be seen in the company of Virginia Robertson, Georgina Alexander, and Barbara Santora. Her pet expression is "You're kidding mel" She is an ardent member of the Student Council and the Sewing Club. Her favorite teachers are Miss David and Miss Howard. As for her future plans, Teddy says that she would like to become a history teacher.

#### ANGELO ZAINO

209 Hoffman Boulevard, East Orange, New Jersey

Angelo came to Arts from Branch Brook Grammar School. A very affable person, he is well liked by all. He enjoys reading the newspaper, collecting stamps, and arguing politics. He is happy listening to all types of music and states that music is his pet pastime. Angelo's closest friends are Nick Baulo and Henry Curtis; his favorite teacher is Mr. Gannon. He hopes to go to Rutgers University to fulfill his ambition to become a member of the legal profession.



ANGELO ZAINO





GEORGE VOLLER, B.S., M.A.

Mathematics

Mr. Voller has had a widely varied career ranging from service in the Second World War to active participation in many phases of the educational field. Friendly and cheerful, Mr. Voller has taken a personal interest in all of his students by helping them in school and after graduation. Devoted to coaching the Basketball Team and Junior Varsity Baseball Team, Mr. Voller has spent many long hours in the gym teaching the boys not only the techniques of the games but, most important, the development of good character and sportsmanship. Through his constant efforts as a teacher and a friend, Mr. Voller has gained the sincere admiration and respect of all the students.



PAT D'AMICO



SANDRA NEWMAN



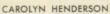
SYLVIA AUSLEY



NATHANIEL FRAZIER



THOMAS O'CONNELL



#### SYLVIA AUSLEY 86 West Kinney Street

Sylvia, an attractive senior, can usually be found with her close friends Janice Robinson, Shirley Ramey and Calvin McNair. Her favorite teachers are Mr. Voller and Mr. Morris although the subjects she likes most are chorus and biology. Her greatest interest is in fashion modeling. A graduate of O'Philia De Vore Modeling School, she has had numerous assignments in this field. Quite naturally, her ambition is to become a successful model. Sylvia, a music major, is a valuable member of the All-State Chorus. Some of her many hobbies are singing, skating and listening to jazz records.

#### PAT D'AMICO 80 Sanford Place

Pat is a graduate of Ivy Junior High. At Arts he has made many friends including Tom O'Connell and Edwin Knight. In his spare time he works but his other interests include drawing, driving cars, dancing and listening to rock 'n' roll music. His favorite subject is art but his favorite teacher is Mr. Voller. Pat has won an Art award and has been an active member of the track team. As for the future, Pat has no definite plans yet.

#### NATHANIEL FRAZIER 617 Bergen Street

Nate is the class clown and practical joker. He particularly enjoys Mr. Giordano's art classes. He is usually found joking with his friends Eddie Miller, Steve Regan, and Robert Adams. At parties, Nate is found listening to jazz and eating cake, for which he has a tremendous sweet tooth. Nate has held various positions including that of grocery clerk in order that he might obtain money to date one of his girlfriends. Talking loudly can not be classified as a peculiar habit but as his favorite pastime. Nate plans to prepare for an Art career at the Newark School of Fine and Industrial Art.

#### CAROLYN HENDERSON 817 South 18th Street

Carol, an art student, came to Arts from Garfield School. She enjoys Art classes and Pablo Picasso is her favorite artist. She is usually found with Kathy Hochart, Tom O'Connell and Martha Gardas. Her spare time is usually spent horseback riding, swimming, dancing, talking on the telephone, and riding in cars. Carol prefers jazz and sportswear. Typing is her favorite subject and Miss David is her favorite teacher.

#### SANDRA NEWMAN 825 Summer Avenue

Sandy came to Arts from Broadway Junior High School. She is an active girl who likes to go horseback riding, swimming, bowling, and fishing. Art is her favorite subject and Mr. Morris and Mr. Voller are her favorite teachers. A member of the Typing Club, Sandra's ambition is to become a secretary. Her likes include Southern fried chicken, fast music and short skirts. She dislikes conceit. She enjoyed the boys at Arts best.

### THOMAS O'CONNELL

Tom, a handsome gentleman, came to Arts from Alexander Street School. His best friend is Kathy Hochart. In his spare time he plays softball at the playground, works on his car, paints, or sketches. His favorite entertainment is listening to popular or classical music. Art with Mr. Giordano is the highlight of his school day. His favorite artist is Rembrandt and his favorite sport is football. Tom's plans for the future include Newark School of Fine and Industrial Art to train for a career as a commercial artist; later, he'll enlist in the corps.

#### ELSIE RILEY 63 Ninth Avenue

Elsie came to Arts from South Eighth Street School. She can usually be found at the movies or with her good friends Carmenita Norvell and Odell Simpson. In her spare time, she enjoys talking on the phone, collecting records, going to dances or listening to jazz. Her favorite teachers are Mr. Voller and Mr. Rickenbacher although her favorite subject is typing. After graduation, Elsie plans to attend Berkeley Secretarial School to prepare for a career as a secretary.

#### ERMINIO ROMANO 170 Warren Street

Erminio, called Mike by his friends, is a graduate of Central Avenue School. In his spare time he plays the sax and the clarinet but he also enjoys vocal and instrumental music. He is interested in coin collecting. A few of his close friends are Lynn Russ and Sandy Newman. His favorite subject is algebra; his favorite teachers are Miss Meyerson and Mrs. Lazar. Although he is undecided about the college he will attend, he plans to prepare for a career in teaching. He'll major in mathematics.

#### MARIAN SCHAEFFER 291 Avon Avenue

"Cookie", as she is called by her friends, is a graduate of St. Mary's School. She is usually found roaming through the halls or in her homeroom chatting with Rita Kropilak, Nancy Kucinski, Carol Opatkiewizc, or Teddy Yacik. Among her many interests are dancing, watching television, reading and playing tennis. She includes History and gym as her favorite subjects and Mr. Knobler and Mr. Spindler as her favorite teachers. During her stay at Arts, Marian has enjoyed the sports events most. She plans to attend a beauty school after graduation.



ELSIE RILEY



ERMINIO ROMANO



MARIAN SCHAEFFER



Mrs. Kathryn Greywacz, Director of the New Jersey State Museum in Trenton, receives the citation for Mrs. Mary G. Roebling.

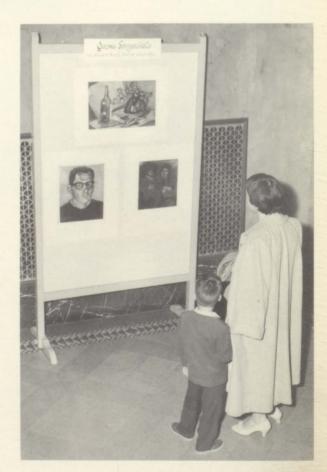
SEATED ON THE PLATFORM: Dr. Morris Fuchs, Board of Education president; Jerome Sarapochiello, scholarship winner; and Mr. Seymour Landsman, Art Department chairman.



# STUDENT ART EXHIBITION



The purpose of the annual Student Art Exhibition is to acquaint parents and educators with the experiences which are included in the art students' curriculum. On these two pages are views of the 1960 exhibition.















Nancy Kesselman and Matilda Oppido check layouts with Mr. Knobler.

Pat Jagentowicz leafs through the photographs.



Joseph Neigel and Anthony Gilday design page dividers.



Marie Tutela, Virginia Robertson, and Miss Howard select photographs for the Vignette.



# LITERARY STAFF

LEFT TO RIGHT: Viola-dey Ilaria, Georgina Alexander, Theodora Yacik, Linda Suarez, Marion Herckner, Carol Linfante, Marie Galasso, Sophie Waclawsky, Miss Abos, Linda Punchatz.

# **BUSINESS STAFF**

SEATED, left to right: Rosemarie Attanasio, Pamela Argiro. FIRST ROW, standing: Malcina Edwards, Arlene Cardinale, Linda Suarez, Viola-dey Ilaria. Dorothy Hamilton. SECOND ROW: Janet Kudrak, Carol Linfante, Mary Ann Priolo, Mary Benders, Mildred Whitaker.







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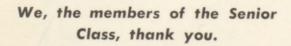
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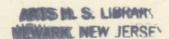
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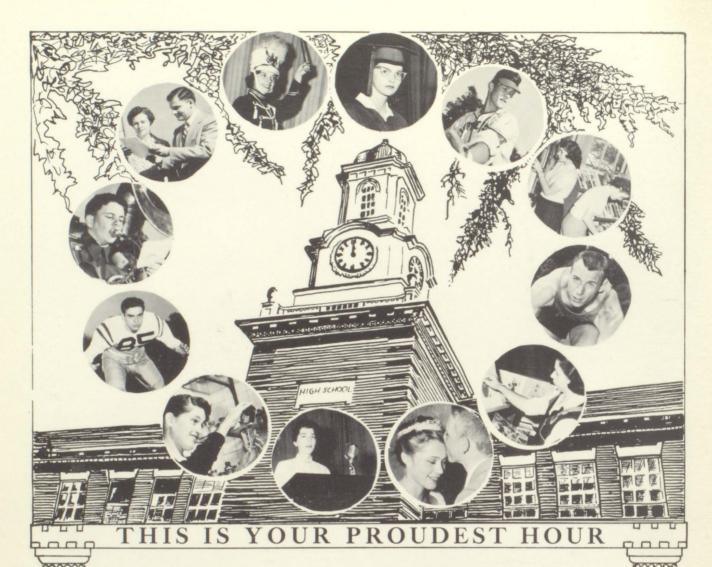
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